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THE WEATHER

Snow or rain late today and Thursday; northeast to southeast winds.

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# WILSON AWAITS STRIKE CRISIS BEFORE ACTING

## Will Appeal to Railroads and Brotherhoods if Conference Here Tomorrow Fails.

## MEN DEFEND THEIR COURSE

## Chiefs Assert Roads Plan to Let Panic or War Defeat Wage Demands.

## ASSERT THEIR PATRIOTISM

## Would Serve Nation's Needs in Case of War—Chicago First of Seriatim Strikes.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The Government, in the view of informed officials here, will take no action to delay or prevent the impending transportation tie-up before the conference between the railway executives and the brotherhood chiefs in New York on Thursday. President Wilson, who is still in bed suffering from a cold; Secretary of Labor Wilson, and the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation are watching developments anxiously, but there is no present likelihood that they will interfere before the conference. Secretary Wilson kept the President informed on the situation during the day.

Even should the conference fail and a strike be called, it is believed that there might prove to be no existing legislation which would permit the Government to take drastic action to prevent railway paralysis, notwithstanding the dangerous international situation. All that President Wilson could do, officials say, would be to appeal to the two sides to get together or to wait for the Supreme Court decision on the Adamson law. If the country were actually at war, martial law could be declared, which would permit the President to keep the roads in operation by taking them over as a military measure, but the Newlands bill, designed to give him that power in case of "threatened war," failed of passage at the late session of Congress.

**Brotherhoods Issue Statement.**

At a meeting tonight of the brotherhood chiefs the following statement was prepared and given out for publication:

All members of the General Committee, representing a number of railroads in the Southeastern territory, conferred here today and gave thorough consideration to the application of the basic eight-hour work day as authorized by the chief executives, which was presented to, and refused, by the National Conference Committee of the railways last December. It was then hoped by the brotherhoods that an application of the so-called Adamson law should be agreed upon that would give train, engine, and yard employes at once the benefits intended by the President when proposing the eight-hour law.

The proposition submitted at today's meeting by the chief executives was unanimously indorsed by the various General Committees, thus authorizing the chief executives to again renew their attempt to effect a peaceful settlement with the Conference Committee at the meeting to be held in New York Thursday, the 15th.

All insinuations to the effect that transportation employes are not loyal citizens because of their attempt at this time to secure from their employers the benefits contemplated by the law are absurd, and assurances of the willingness and the intention to support our country should war be declared have been given to the President of the United States.

Surely the public must recognize that for more than a year we have made every effort to secure a shorter workday, and our membership realizes that this question should be disposed of and industrial peace restored before our country becomes involved in war, which now seems probable.

Seemingly it has been the purpose of the railroad companies to postpone final settlement of this question until either a panic or a war would defeat our demands.

W. S. STONE, Grand Chief Engineer Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

W. G. LEE, President Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

W. S. CARTER, President Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen.

L. R. SHEPPARD, Acting President Order of Railroad Conductors.

Plans for the strike were ratified not only by local union leaders from Southeastern territory, but also by a similar conference of representatives of the Southwest held at St. Louis. The brotherhood heads will tell the Railroad Conference Committee in New York Thursday that if an agreement is not reached this week for the establishment of an eight-hour basic day, with time and a half for overtime, strike orders already issued to local organizations will become effective. The demands are just what they were last Fall when President Wilson averted a strike.

"We will go before the railroads' representatives Thursday with our entire membership united behind our demands," said W. G. Lee, head of the trainmen.

Calls for meetings of local committees in the next three days in about fifteen cities throughout the country to receive final instructions for the strike went out today from brotherhood headquarters in Cleveland.

**To Attack at Chicago First.**

Confirmation definite and unquestionable was received today from a source in the confidence of the brotherhood leaders of their intention to call a series of strikes, beginning a few hours after failure of the conference.

According to this authority, the first

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# TEN BILLIONS IN YEAR WAR'S COST TO BRITAIN

## *Bonar Law to Ask Vote of $250,000,000 Tomorrow Because of Shipbuilding Program.*

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the House of Commons yesterday said that a supplementary vote of credit to meet increased unforeseen expenditure would be moved tomorrow.

When the last vote of credit was passed it was expected that it would carry over the present financial year.

It is understood that the supplementary vote of credit will be for £50,000,000, ($250,000,000.) The announcement created a mild sensation in the House of Commons in view of the granting of £550,000,000 as recently as Feb. 12.

An explanation unofficially offered is that some of the new Government departments have been spending more than was expected in connection with war work. Of the February appropriation £200,000,000 was for the winding up of the financial year, which ends March 31, and the remainder was to lay the foundation for the new financial year, beginning April 1. It is said that the former estimate proved short by about £50,000,000, due chiefly to the great shipbuilding program.

Assuming that a new note of £50,000,000 is granted, it will bring the total amount voted for the financial year ending March 31 to exactly £2,000,000,000 ($10,000,000,000.)

# PRESS BILL TO BRAND KING'S KIN AS TRAITORS

## *House of Lords Passes Measure to Second Reading—Some Peers Criticise It.*

LONDON, March 13.—The House of Lords today passed the second reading of the bill to deprive enemy Princes of British titles and dignities, after the Government had promised to refer the bill to a special committee for further consideration. This promise was made as the outcome of differences between some of the Peers, who desired to shelve the bill on the ground that it was absurd to regard certain Princes as traitors.

The Marquis of Lansdowne agreed that the bill was intended to apply only to the Duke of Albany, the Duke of Cumberland, and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein, all of whom are related to the British royal family and who, he agreed, could not possibly be regarded as traitors. The Marquis admitted that the bill was a mere concession to public opinion and required more examination than it had previously received, because, he added, if it was desirable to satisfy public opinion, it would be needful to go much further and deprive large numbers of persons, who were fighting against England, of their orders and decorations.

A dispatch from London in July, 1916, said that Premier Asquith had announced, in the House of Commons, that King George had been advised to take the necessary steps to meet the wishes of the House by depriving the Duke of Cumberland, the Duke of Albany, and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein, cousins of King George, of their British titles of nobility. They were the three remaining Germans to hold such titles.

# HOLD OUT 120 DAYS, SAYS GERMAN LEADER

## *People Should Be Told Plainly of Necessity, Says Dr. Heim, Discussing Food Shortage.*

THE HAGUE, March 13, (via London.)—After the debate in the Prussian House of Deputies on March 6, on the food crisis, Dr. Heim, leader of the Bavarian Peasant Party, published an article concerning the situation from which Vorwärts prints these extracts:

"It is high time that the facts, which up to the present are known to but few of the initiated, should be published. It is better to tell the people the truth squarely than to continue to work on a system which has hopelessly broken down through its own faults. We must hold out 120 days longer until the new crops, but even if tomorrow brought 'hunger peace' we would be unable for months to get a pound more of bread grain owing to lack of tonnage and the world's crop failure.

"This must be told the people squarely, and the ruthless measures must be borne, whether they affect peasants or town dwellers, not only in Bavaria and South Germany, but also the Prussian agrarians."

Dr. Heim then attacks the shortcomings of the Prussian agrarians, instancing their failure to observe the ordinance to surrender the barley crop of 1916, which, he says, has not yet been done.

# ARCHIBALD S. WHITE GIVES UP BANKING

## *House Headed by Bernstorff's Friend, Who Figured in Leak Inquiry, Changes Hands.*

White & Co., Inc., which had charge of the distribution and sale of the stock of the Federal Dyestuff and Chemical Corporation, has retired from business, the business having been taken over by a new corporation having the title of Ussing, Poole & Simmons, Inc. This new company will deal in listed and unlisted stocks and bonds.

White & Co., Inc., was organized in December, 1914, and its President, Archibald S. White, recently received considerable publicity in connection with the Congressional "leak" inquiry which brought out the fact that Mr. White was a close friend of Count von Bernstorff, late German Ambassador. At one time Mr. White was President of the International Salt Company. At his office it was said late yesterday afternoon that he had gone to White Sulphur Springs, Va., and that he was no longer interested in any way with the corporation that had succeeded his concern.

Ussing, Poole & Simmons, Inc., has been incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, with 25,000 shares of common stock of no par value and 25,000 shares of preferred stock. The President is Olaf Ussing, who for several years has been a bond salesman in Pittsburgh. The Vice President is Clark L. Poole of Chicago, who has made a specialty of timber bonds. The other officers and Directors are R. J. Fellner of New York, A. W. Howard, R. M. Simmons, and H. N. Hosick of Chicago. The company's main offices are in this city and Chicago, and it has branches in Cleveland, Philadelphia, and Detroit.

# GERMANS RETREAT BEFORE BRITISH ON A VAST SCALE

## Berlin Says It Is Hindenburg's Strategy—Bapaume About to be Given Up.

## CREST OF THE RIDGE TAKEN

## Gen. Haig's Troops Occupy the Town of Grevillers and Loupart Wood.

## IMPORTANT MOVE HINTED

## Correspondents Suggest That Bapaume May Be In British Hands by Tonight.

### *Hindenburg Withdraws Forces On a Great Scale in the West*

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—A German withdrawal on a great scale on the western front is foreshadowed by Major Moraht in an article in the Berliner Tageblatt, which is quoted in a Rotterdam dispatch to The Daily News. Major Moraht recalls Field Marshal von Hindenburg's strategy against the Russians at Tannenberg, when he caused parts of his army to retire, fighting in order to gain ample space for strategical movements.

The military critics remind his readers that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is now operating in the west and says that by shortening their present front the Germans are giving their enemies "a desert to advance over—a ground as bad as ever fighting ground was."

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—The official report from British Headquarters in France announces the abandonment by the Germans of their main defensive system west of Bapaume on a front of three and one-half miles.

The British troops drove back the German rearguard to a depth of a mile, and occupied Grévillers and Loupart Wood, lying just west of Bapaume.

The retirement followed a heavy British bombardment, and was made under cover of hazy weather, according to a Reuter dispatch from the front.

Correspondents at the British Headquarters in France, telegraphing last evening concerning the occupation by the British of Louart Wood and Grevillers, describe the positions abandoned by the Germans as having seemed capable of defense until the garrison was driven out by an attack.

All the dispatches speak of important activities that are continuing. The British advanced troops are said to be hard upon the heels of the Germans, and more than keeping pace with their retreat.

The writers evidently are expecting the speedy occupation by the British of Bapaume, although they stop short of predicting it with certainty.

One of the correspondents says that there should be important news available today, (Wednesday.)

The official report reads:

In consequence of our bombardment of his positions yesterday, the enemy abandoned his main defensive system along the forward crest of the ridge west of Bapaume on a front of three and one-half miles.

During the day our advancing troops have driven back the enemy's rearguard in this area for a depth of a mile, and have occupied the village of Grévillers and Loupart Wood.

We have also made further progress east and northeast of Gommecourt on a front of about a mile.

Hostile raids were repulsed during the night in the neighborhood of Neuville-St. Vaast. Souchez, and Armentières. In each case the enemy failed to reach our trenches. Another hostile raiding party succeeded in reaching our trenches southwest of Neuve Chapelle. A few of our men are missing.

Our artillery carried out an effective bombardment of the enemy's positions in the Somme and east of Neuville-St. Vaast.

BERLIN, March 13, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—The British made an attack yesterday over a wide front south of Arras. Today's official announcement says the attack failed, and that heavy losses were inflicted on the British.

The text of the statement follows:

South of Arras, British detachments, after artillery preparation during the day, advanced on a wide front near Beaurains. The attack failed with heavy losses.

On the Ancre the fighting activity was violent.

Tonight's supplementary report says:

There has been lively fighting activity on the Ancre.

# IMPORTANT MOVES ON ANCRE FORESEEN

## *Piercing of German Line West of Bapaume Expected to Lead to a Further Retirement.*

**By PHILIP GIBBS.**

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS' HEADQUARTERS, March 13, (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—Followed closely by British troops and under the increasing fury of British gunfire, the Germans have made another important retreat. British patrols are now beyond Loupart Wood, which I watched under heavy bombardment yesterday, and the troops are moving up around Grévillers, from which the Germans have been driven, except, perhaps, for a few machine-gun teams and snipers.

I confess I did not think the Germans

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# *Raider Sinks Japanese Ship in Indian Ocean; Japanese and British Warships Chasing Her*

TOKIO, March 12.—It is officially announced that a converted German cruiser has been sighted in the Indian Ocean, and that it is now being chased by Japanese and British warships. The Germans had sunk a Japanese freighter.

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 13.—Cable advices from Japan received here today by the Canadian News, a Japanese newspaper, stated that the Fuknura Maru, a Japanese steamship of about 3,115 tons, had been sunk in the Indian Ocean by a German commerce raider. She carried no passengers.

A dispatch received here from Tokio on Feb. 24 said that newspapers there had reported the fact that an armed merchantman was raiding commerce in the Indian Ocean. Two British steamers were said to have been sunk southwest of Colombo.

Reports that German raiders were preying on commerce in the Indian Ocean have been persistent since early in January. The Japanese navy has at various times been reported as being on the trail of such vessels.

The commerce destroyer which Tokio now admits officially as having been sighted is probably one of the armed vessels which was preying on commerce in the South Atlantic in December. She may have escaped the Allied warships, which were reported to have sunk at least one raider, and made her way around Cape Horn to her present field of operations.

# PETROGRAD SILENT; LONDON MYSTIFIED

## Latest Papers from Russia Contain Significant Warnings Against a Revolt.

## MUNITIONS PLOT EXPOSED

## Expedition Caught Crossing the Finnish Frontier—German Backing Indicated.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—The Daily Mail says:

"Up to a late hour last night the Russian official report, which for many months has come to hand early, had not been received, nor was there any news of events later than the announcement on Monday that the Duma and the Council of the Empire sittings had been suspended by imperial order."

The Daily Telegraph says:

"An interesting commentary on the closing of the Duma is supplied by the Russian papers which after a long interval have again begun to reach England. In a resolution, adopted unanimously, the annual conference of the nobility of Novgorod Government declared it to be the sacred duty of 'the highest class of the cradle of the Russian State' to raise 'a firm and frank voice of warning against the path of danger.'

"After remarking that 'only in close unity with her regal and hereditary monarch can Holy Russia bring sanguinary dissension to a happy ending and avoid those disastrous internal shocks which our savage foe is impatiently awaiting,' the resolution notes 'that to the misfortune of the Fatherland those who have been generators of irresponsible influence are vainly trying to hide their negligence and incompetence by criminal mendacity and see their duty to the Czar not in truth, but in flattery;' but 'there remains to the Russian people on hope, the truthful voice of its elected representatives addressed to the wisdom and strength of character of its sovereign.'

"Should, however, the Imperial Duma and Imperial Council not be convened, should 'the torch be extinguished which is lighting a dark and bloody road to the might and prosperity of the fatherland,' then 'the darkness of unbridled passions and unrestrained wickedness will come upon us,' and Russia will 'be flung over the precipice, at the bottom of which will perish her best strength and hopes, her honor, her integrity, her dignity, her power, and her glory.'

"This resolution was of course adopted prior to the convening of the Russian Parliament," adds The Daily Telegraph, "but it must apply with almost equal force to the closing of that body. A similar resolution evidently has been adopted by several other provincial assemblies of nobility, and these are at present the only representative bodies which are permitted to meet in Russia."

**Munitions Plot Uncovered.**

The Morning Post's Stockholm correspondent gives the details of a German plot which was aimed at destroying large stores of Russian war materials which were supposed to be on the Skibotten-Ravaniemi route and also at destroying bridges, buildings, and other constructions along the primitive road. The correspondent says:

"Skibotten is a village port in Norway on Lynden Fiord, southeast of Tromso. It is almost the nearest point of the Norwegian coast to the tongue of Finnish territory which here runs northeast. Two hundred and fifty miles to the southeast at the terminus of a short branch railway from the main Finnish line to Tornea lies Rovaniemi. The Swedish press declares (what would otherwise for censorship reasons better not have been mentioned) that vast stores of munitions have passed along this route.

"How far German subjects took part in the preparations is not known. The leader on the spot was the Swedish Baron, Otto von Rosen, who appeared with an engineer, and at least two other persons in Vittangi, in north Sweden. The plan was to enter Finland via the village of Karesundo, which lies in Swedish territory on the frontier river, Muonio Elf.

"The Rosen expedition proclaimed its aims as exclusively scientific, but from the first it was watched by the police and was stopped at the frontier river when about to cross. Its stock of 400 pounds of "preserved meat" was examined and found to be 400 pounds of dynamite.

"One of its suspicious actions was the sending up of rockets close to the frontier. This action may be put in connection with the statement of the local journal Nordskenflamma that the conspirators operated with a Finnish nobleman who had already several times been in trouble with the Russian Government. All members of the expedition were heavily armed, but made no resistance. They explained that the rocket signals were made as fireworks to amuse the natives.

"The Lulea newspapers add that Rosen and friends were in possession of large sums of money. A telegram from Tromso says that 'a Swedish Baron' has been put under arrest there, and it is assumed that this is the expedition's leader."

# RUSH OF POLICE TO FORT HAMILTON

## Reserves from Three Brooklyn Precincts Mobilized About the Sleeping Garrison.

## PERHAPS A TRIAL ROUND-UP

## Patrol Boats Scout the Narrows While Soldiers Rest Secure Within the Fort.

Great excitement was aroused in Brooklyn last night by the sudden mobilization of nearly 300 policemen for the defense of Fort Hamilton, on the Brooklyn side of the Narrows.

Just how or where the rumor arose that started the hasty gathering of policemen was not learned, but the most generally accepted story had it that Police Commissioner Woods had been informed that a large body of German reservists was collecting by stealth in the vacant lots which stretch away in many parts of Bay Ridge and South Brooklyn for blocks upon blocks.

At any rate, Inspector James E. Dillon, in charge of the uniformed force of the borough, was notified by the Commissioner. He called Inspector Joseph A. Conboy, commanding the district in which Fort Hamilton lies, away from a civic meeting which he was addressing in Borough Park, and measures were hastily taken to protect the landward side of the fort from sudden assault.

Captains Gallagher, Gillen, and Northrup of the Fort Hamilton, Fourth Avenue, and Sheepshead Bay Stations were hastily called with the reserves from their stations and brought to the vicinity of the fort, and the headquarters staff was directed to draft 15 Sergeants and 200 patrolmen from all the precincts and collect them on the scene of action as rapidly as possible.

Meanwhile it had been found impossible to get any real information either from the police or from the army as to what had occasioned all this. Captain Rafferty, in command of the three companies of Coast Artillery at Fort Hamilton, professed to know nothing of any threat of attack, and it was even reported that he had refused to talk to the police officers who invaded the quiet precincts of the fort to tell him of the possible peril to which he was exposed.

Governors Island, too, seemed to know nothing about the supposed German rising.

However, at midnight there were skirmish lines of policemen drawn all about the landward side of Fort Hamilton, challenging all passers by and prepared to resist a rush from any quarter, with police boats patrolling the Narrows against possible attack from the water. Within this cordon of armed bluecoats the garrison apparently rested in perfect peace and security.

There were those who suggested that the army resented the suggestion that the police had to be called out to protect it, and others who ventured the opinion that the whole affair was only a practice mobilization test, patterned after a fire drill. For the police who were hurriedly routed out all over the borough, however, it was no joke. At any rate, midnight saw Fort Hamilton thoroughly guarded and the garrison safe from the danger of being carried off by resident aliens.

It was a night of alarums and excursions. Earlier a report had flown about the city that three German liners tied up at the Hoboken docks had slipped away somehow and were escaping via Hell Gate, and other rumors of the sort familiar to those who remembered the frame of mind of the sea coast towns in the early weeks of the Spanish-American war sprang up in various quarters.

# DANIELS TO PLACE ORDERS FOR WARSHIPS

## *Six Scout and Five Battle Cruisers to be Built in Private Yards at Once.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Another attempt will be made tomorrow by the Navy Department to place contracts for the construction of thirty-five-knot scout cruisers without invoking the President's authority to require private builders to undertake the work.

While Congress has authorized seven of these vessels, deemed absolutely essential to the efficiency of the fleet, only one has been contracted for us to this time. Bids have been advertised three times, and Congress has raised the limit of cost from $5,000,000 to $6,000,000; but the department was without information tonight as to the number of shipbuilding companies that would respond tomorrow.

Bids for six scouts, to cost $6,000,000 each, exclusive of armor and armament, will be opened. The Seattle Construction Company undertook the construction of one at $5,000,000 before the cost limit was raised.

Secretary Daniels probably will place contracts this week also for five battle cruisers, to cost $19,000,000 each, exclusive of armor and armament. They will be built on a basis of 10 per cent. net profit to the builders, and will be distributed among the plants so as to obtain the quickest results. Provision also must be made soon for the three great battleships soon to be ordered. Shipbuilders will again confer with the Secretary tomorrow about them.

# BERNSTORFF SEES WAR 'IF WE SINK AN AMERICAN SHIP'

## Thinks Destruction of British Steamers with Americans Is "Not the Same."

## CALLS PLOTS "FAIRY TALES"

## Envoy Says Mexico Would Not Have Got Alliance Note if We Did Not Fight.

## CONFERENCE OVER U-BOATS

## Berlin Summons Attaches, but Washington Says Rumor of New Peace Parley Is Untrue.

### *Bernstorff Reaches Berlin; Boy-Ed There to Meet Him*

BERLIN, March 13, (via London, Wednesday, March 14.)—A special train from Copenhagen carrying Count and Countess von Bernstorff and the Embassy and Consular Corps from the United States arrived in Berlin at 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Count von Bernstorff met representatives of the Foreign Office and numerous personal friends, among them Dr. Bernhard Dernberg and Captain Karl Boy-Ed, former Naval Attaché in Washington. Tearful welcomes marked the home-coming of the party.

Count von Bernstorff refused to make any statement before reporting to Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg and the Foreign Secretary, Dr. Zimmermann. It was generally remarked at the station that the returning Ambassador had aged considerably since his last visit here.

LONDON, March 13.—The Hamburger Fremdenblatt, according to Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent, prints an interview its representative had at Copenhagen in which Count von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States, expressed proud joy at the way the German people were bearing, with their heads held high, the results of the breach in relations with America, which he (Bernstorff) so long prevented.

Count von Bernstorff is quoted as saying that he was keenly affected by the news, which he received for the first time at Christiania, that instructions which had passed through his hands to the German Minister in Mexico had come to the knowledge of the American Government.

It was natural that its publication caused a great sensation in America, Count von Bernstorff said, declaring "we always strictly declined to mix ourselves in the politics of the American continent."

"All American assertions about such intrigues in Haiti, Cuba, and Colombia are fairy tales," Count von Bernstorff is quoted as saying.

**Denies Pan American Plotting.**

The diplomat added that positively so long as he was Ambassador at Washington he was never aware of the slightest indication that the German Government tried to influence the policy in Central and South American States in any sense hostile to the United States.

"We even sometimes subordinated great economic interests, which we have in all of those countries, to spare the sensitiveness of the United States," he stated.

The interview concludes with the declaration by Count von Bernstorff that from instructions to the German Minister to Mexico it was clear that the Mexican Government, if the United States did not declare war on Germany, would never have heard of Germany's intentions from a German mouth.

"I believe it is hardly possible to have acted more correctly," he said.

An Exchange Telegraph dispatch says that in an interview granted to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Berlin Tageblatt Count von Bernstorff, interrogated as to whether he thought there would be war between Germany and the United States, replied:

"That depends upon our U-boat warfare. If we sink an American ship, we shall get war. If not, I suppose we can avoid it."

"And if," asked the correspondent, "Germany sinks British ships with American citizens aboard?"

To this Count von Bernstorff replied: "That is not the same."

**New Talk of Altering Blockade.**

The arrival in Europe of Count von Bernstorff has caused renewed discussion in Berlin of the submarine blockade among political, naval and diplomatic representatives, according to the Norwegian Mercantile Shipping Gazette, says Reuter's Christiania correspondent.

"Some German naval attachés in neutral countries have been called to Berlin for a conference," continue the dispatch. "The alteration, but not the raising, of the blockade is probable."

These conferences, it is indicated by the publication, arose out of developments during Count von Bernstorff's stay in Christiania, when indirect efforts, it says, were made to prevent the situation between Germany and America developing into war.

AMSTERDAM, March 13, (via London.)—It is asserted by the Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung of Berlin, a semi-official newspaper, that Foreign Secretary Zimmermann's instruction to Minister von Eckhardt in Mexico, respecting a possible alliance of Germany with Mexico and Japan in case of war between the United States and Germany, was not sent in the form of a letter from Berlin to Washington, or from Washington to Mexico.

COPENHAGEN, March 13, (via London.)—Count von Bernstorff prepared a statement on Germany's dealings with Mexico after his arrival here. This statement will be forwarded to the Berlin Foreign Office and, if approved, will be

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# ANOTHER RELIEF SHIP SUNK BY SUBMARINE

## *The Lars Fostenes from New York Reported Destroyed Outside the Blockade Zone.*

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—The Norwegian steamer Lars Fastenaes, (Lars Fostènes,) bound from America for Rotterdam with grain for the American Relief Commission, has been sunk without warning outside the blockade zone, according to the Norwegian Mercantile Shipping Gazette. This announcement is contained in an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

The Central News says that the steamer was sunk in the North Sea.

No steamer under the name of Lars Fastenaes is listed in available shipping registers. The Lars Fostenes is a new Norwegian steamer of 1,239 tons net. She was last reported as having sailed from New York on Dec. 19 for Rotterdam, arriving at Louisburg, Cape Breton, seven days later. She proceeded for Halifax for repairs to her propeller blades.

# SUBMARINE STRANDED OFF COAST OF HOLLAND

## *Fifteen Members of Her Crew Are Reported To Have Disembarked from Wrecked Boat.*

LONDON, March 13.—A German submarine is reported stranded in the neighborhood of Hellevoetsluis, on the Dutch coast, says a Reuter dispatch from The Hague today.

AMSTERDAM, March 13, (via London.)—The report that a German submarine has been stranded near Hellevoetsluis, on the Dutch coast, is confirmed by Het Volk. Fifteen members of the crew, says the newspaper, have disembarked.

# AMERICAN ON BOARD SUNKEN CUNARD SHIP

## *Dr. W. J. Core of Nashville Saved When The Folio Is Attacked Without Warning; 7 Lives Lost.*

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Consul Wesley Frost reported today the sinking of another vessel with an American on board. The steamer destroyed by a German submarine was the Cunard freighter Folio of 6,705 tons, and Dr. W. J. Core of Nashville, Tenn., who was on board her, was among the survivors; seven other members of the crew were lost.

Consul Frost sent two messages to the State Department regarding the sinking of the Folio, the first of which read:

Cunard non-passenger liner Folio, sunk off Waterford, 10th. Survivors landed at Dungarron. Sole American, boat's surgeon, W. J. Core, Nashville, Tenn., saved, uninjured.

A second message read:

Seven lives lost in sinking of Cunarder Folio out of crew of seventy-eight. Folio was bound from New York to Avonmouth. Torpedoed without warning five miles off Ram's Head, County Waterford, in heavy fog, 7 A. M. Dr. Core, and officers reached Bristol this morning.

Consul Frost also reported the sinking of the Belgian relief steamer Storstad as follows:

Norwegian relief ship Storstad from Buenos Aires, bound for Rotterdam with 9,000 tons of maize for Belgian Relief, under English charter, sunk by German submarine, seventy miles west of Skellings, 11:30 A. M., March 8. Submarine first shelled ship from three miles, fifteen minutes during which Storstad stopped and hoisted abundant unmistakable signs of Belgian relief errand.

After fifteen minutes interval, the submarine torpedoed the Storstad without warning from 400 yards, Belgian relief signals being prominently visible. Ship carried neither gun nor wireless, no shelling during abandonment. Submarine interviewed Captain's boat for particulars, refusing request for towage, then fired additional shells and torpedoed sinking vessel. No attempt escape or resist. Weather heavy, sea strong, east winds, dull, showery sky.

Three boats became separated, Captain's boat rescued by patrol near Skellings at 9:50 P. M., March 9. After severe battle with sea fourth engineer died exposure, shock. Sole American aboard, John Roy Christian, 121 Mercer Street, Seattle, saved; affidavit taken. Other two boats landed Capirciveen, evening, 10th. Have telegraphed Consul at Liverpool to take affidavits of officers. Total deaths three. This report also to Ambassador and Consul General at London.

The Folio left New York on Feb. 26 with a cargo of munitions for Bristol, England. She was commanded by Captain Thomas Inch, formerly in charge of the steamship Volturno, which was burned at sea in October, 1913, with the loss of 136 lives. Captain Inch was decorated for his bravery, and when the Cunard Line bought the Principello from the Canadian Northern Railway Company he was retained as master. The vessel was renamed the Folio.

# GEN. SARRAIL TO WED A FRENCH WAR NURSE

## *Banns Published at Saloniki for French Commander and Mlle. de Joannis.*

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—The Exchange Telegraph's Athens correspondent says the French Consulate at Saloniki has published the banns of the forthcoming marriage of General Maurice Sarrail to Mlle. de Joannis, a member of the corps of French nurses in Macedonia.

General Sarrail at the beginning of the war was in command at Verdun, and after the speedy destruction of the Belgian forts had shown the futility of this style of fortifications against modern heavy artillery he organized the wonderful system of defenses that have withstood all German assaults there. From Verdun he was transferred to the command of the French expedition to the Dardanelles, and on the abandonment of the operations there was made Commander in Chief of the allied forces in Macedonia.

General Sarrail is 61 years old.

GEORGE M. COHAN in "Broadway Jones." exclusively at STRAND week March 25th.—Advt.

# MUNITION SHIPS TO BE PROTECTED LIKE ANY OTHERS

## United States Holds That They Have the Same Rights as Non-Contraband Craft.

## OLD TREATIES ARE CITED

## Washington Official Quotes the Prussian Agreement of 1799 on Arms Cargoes.

## ORDERS READY FOR GUNNERS

## Navy Drafts Secret Instructions for Guards and They Are Approved by Lansing.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—In giving protection to American merchant ships no distinction will be made by the Government between vessels that carry munitions of war or other contraband and those which have noncontraband cargoes. The position of the Government is that all American merchant vessels are privileged to pursue their calling on the seas and that no belligerent warship has the right to sink them or otherwise interfere with their progress until it has complied with the requirement of visit and search to ascertain if contraband of war is carried.

This Government has always insisted that a merchant vessel has the right to carry contraband, including munitions of war, and the fact that she has munitions on board does not give a belligerent warship warrant to sink her without warning. American merchant vessels carrying munitions were permitted by this Government to clear for European ports, and the German and Austro-Hungarian Governments were informed that these vessels had the right to do so. The United States was always willing to admit that such vessels were subject to overhauling and subsequent sinking or capture as prize provided that if sinking was resorted to provision should be made for the safety of the noncombatants aboard.

In placing armed guards on American merchant vessels it is adhering to the same contention. The guards will be employed only in the event that German submarines attempt to violate the established principles of international law. No ship will come under the direct protection of the Government of the United States until the naval officer in command of the armed guard is convinced that a submarine is about to violate the laws of nations and humanity. The announcement of the German Government that neutral merchant ships would be sunk without warning if they ventured inside the barred areas is construed by the United States Government, it is understood, as evidence that these laws are not to be observed.

**Secret Instructions to Guards.**

Complete instructions for the guidance of the "armed guards" to be placed on American merchant vessels have been finished by the Navy Department and approved by Secretary Lansing. Whether these instructions have been turned over to those in command of the armed guards could not be ascertained from officials today on account of the adoption of the policy of endeavoring to bring about a suppression of the news of sailings and other definite details regarding the arming of merchantmen. But it was admitted that the Navy Department's orders and instructions to the guards would be placed in their hands whenever needed and as rapidly as each armed vessel was ready to put to sea.

These instructions are being treated as highly confidential for the present. They are not being issued to the entire naval service, but are to be furnished only to the officers placed in command of the armed guards for merchantmen. From all that can be gathered from officials it is believed that these guards will fire on sight at German submarines.

The United States is proceeding on the theory that German submarines will attempt to sink American vessels without warning. This assumption is based on the official notification of the German Government on Jan. 31, to the effect that vessels entering the barred zones do so at their risk, and is based on what this Government regards as Germany's abrogation of the rule of visit and search. Until and unless the German Government itself notifies the United States that it has revoked the proclamation the Washington Government will proceed on the theory that Germany intends to carry out its announced determination to sink without warning vessels entering the proscribed areas.

President Wilson was at first reluctant to believe it to be the intention of Germany to carry out her announced purpose of sinking neutral vessels without warning. Evidence possessed by the State Department, based on reports and affidavits received from our Embassies at London and Rome, and on American Consular reports, convinced the President and his advisers, however, that Germany meant what she asserted with respect to sinking without warning any vessel encountered within the barred area.

The assignment of these guards is without precedent, according to admissions officially made this afternoon. Efforts were unavailing today to obtain any official statement of the character of the arms these guards would have. Officials flatly refused to state the number and calibre of guns to be placed on

American ships, or to give any detailed information regarding plans for using these armed guards, but one official made it plain, as he put it, that the guards would "not be armed with popguns."

**Arm Munition Vessels, Too.**

The arms to be used by the armed guards will be sufficiently strong to deal with submarines. The guards will be naval gunners under command of naval officers. They will be placed on board all American merchant vessels sailing through the barred areas. No distinction is to be made as between those vessels which carry munitions or other contraband and those that do not carry contraband.

When an official was asked today whether American vessels carrying contraband would be provided with guards he responded that the answer to that question would be found in the various notes in the three American "white books." The position of this Government as set forth in its various officially published communications and announcements since the beginning of the war is that American vessels have a right to traverse the seas; that they have a right to carry contraband subject to the exercise of the belligerent right of visit and search, and that it is the duty of the belligerent and not of the neutral to interfere with such shipments on peaceful merchant vessels.

An important and significant statement came from a high official source tonight regarding the status of American merchant vessels carrying contraband when confronted by a German submarine or other German naval vessel. It was to the effect that under the Prussian-American treaties of 1828 and 1799, which were invoked in the case of the sinking of the William P. Frye, Germany agreed not to sink American vessels even when carrying contraband. At least this is the American construction of the treaty pending a better interpretation of that document by the arbitration to which Germany and the United States agreed in the Frye case.

**Treaty Protects Contraband.**

Article XIII. of the treaty of 1799, which was revived and continued in force by Article XII. of the treaty of 1828, gives American ships the right to carry contraband without being sunk. According to this treaty the contraband articles may be stopped and detained but cannot be confiscated or condemned, and if used by the Germans must be paid for by them. There is a special treaty arrangement which differs from the usual rule of international law regarding contraband. These old treaties are considered by the United States Government to be in full force and effect, and thoroughly valid. When an official was asked today whether these treaties were considered as being in force he replied affirmatively, and pointed out that this Government had based its claim for damages in the Frye case on those treaties.

It is the position of the Washington Government that the Prussian-American treaties should protect American vessels even when carrying contraband against attack without warning and against the destruction or confiscation of those vessels, and it is in defense of its rights under these treaties as well as in defense of American lives and ships under international law when such vessels do not carry contraband, that it is the intention of the Washington Government to arm all American merchant vessels sailing through the barred areas and protect them by armed guards.

Article XIII. of the treaty of 1799, which was invoked by the United States Government as the basis for its claim in the Frye case and on which the Administration is basing its argument that under Article XII. of the treaty of 1828, which revived Article XIII. of the treaty of 1799, Germany agreed not to sink American ships carrying munitions, is as follows:

And in the same case of one of the contracting parties being engaged in war with any other power, to prevent all the difficulties and misunderstandings that usually arise respecting merchandise of contraband, such as arms, ammunition, and military stores of every kind, no such articles carried in the vessels, or by the subjects or citizens of either party, to the enemies of the other shall be deemed contraband, so as to induce confiscation or condemnation and a loss of property to individuals. Nevertheless, it shall be lawful to stop such vessels and articles, and to detain them for such length of time as the captors may think necessary to prevent the inconvenience or damage that might ensue from their proceedings, paying, however, a reasonable compensation for the loss such arrest shall occasion to the proprietors, and it shall further be allowed to use in the service of the captors the whole or any part of the military stores so detained, paying the owners the full value of the same, to be ascertained by the current price at its place of destination.

But in the case supposed of a vessel stopped for articles of contraband, if the master of the vessel stopped will deliver out the goods supposed to be of contraband nature, he shall be permitted to do it, and the vessel shall not in that case be carried into any port, nor further detained, but shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage.

All cannons, mortars, firearms, pistols, bombs, grenades, bullets, balls, muskets, flints, matches, powder, saltpeter, sulphur, cuirasses, pikes, swords, belts, cartouch boxes, saddles, and bridles, beyond the quantity necessary for the use of the ship, or beyond that which every man serving on board the vessel, or passenger, ought to have; and, in general, whatever is comprised under the denomination of arms and military stores, of what description soever, shall be deemed articles of contraband.

## DUTCH TEST OF ARMED SHIPS.

### Issue Raised When They Forced a British Steamer to Leave.

LONDON, March 13.—The experience of the defensively armed British steamer Princess Melita, which was forced by the Dutch Government to leave the Hook of Holland because of her armament, has raised an issue which it is believed will assume the nature of a test case.

It is stated that the British Government will insist upon defensively armed ships being permitted to enter Dutch ports. Negotiations between Great Britain and Holland regarding the retention of ships in Dutch harbors is still proceeding. The British Government is unbending in its determination not to acquiesce in the policy of the Dutch in keeping their ships in their harbors because of the German submarine threat. It is hoped that a compromise may be reached under which Holland can procure guarantees from both belligerents for a safe route for her vessels.

## DIPLOMATS ON ARMED SHIPS.

### American Officials Going Abroad Will Take American Liners.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—American diplomats at home, waiting an opportunity to return to posts in Europe, will travel on armed American liners.

Among these are Hugh Gibson, First Secretary of the embassy at London, who expects to sail on the first American liner that starts across the Atlantic.

## SEAMEN AGREE ON BONUSES.

### Union Accepts the Scale Offered by the American Line.

Members of the Seamen's Union have decided to accept the offer made by P. A. S. Franklin, President of the International Mercantile Marine Company for crews of the American Line ships. These terms are a bonus of 50 per cent. of their wages as war risk, an insurance for the families of the men who lose their lives, cost of the kits that may be lost when a ship is torpedoed, and wages to go on until the return of the crew to New York.

Gustave Braun, the Secretary of the International Seamen's Union, said yesterday that the men had no desire to cripple the American Line and that there would be no strike. A few of the firemen were standing out, he said, but that they would all sign articles when the time comes.

In addition to stopping all information regarding foreign or coastwise shipping being given out by the Marconi Company, the Government, through the Secretary of the Treasury, has forbidden any reports to be given out concerning the ships passing in at Sandy Hook and their arrival at Quarantine. In the case of vessels bringing passengers and mails to New York exceptions will be made at the discretion of the Collector of the Port.

Since the break in diplomatic relations with Germany the customs officials have refused to give out any news of the clearances of ships or their manifests. Under the new orders issued at the Custom House yesterday manifests of incoming ships, including American coastwise vessels, will be withheld, and all other shipping information with the exception of the monthly statistics covering exports and imports.

## FRENCH SEE US NEAR WAR.

### Temps Believes Arming of Ships Will Result in Hostilities.

PARIS, March 13.—"The decision of the United States to cannonade German submarines is the final act and practical conclusion of the notes of May, 1916," says the Temps. "It is a fact without doubt that the arming of merchantmen and the perfectly natural instructions they have received forecast the probable opening soon of hostilities.

"Germany is the witness of its action in having with its own hands destroyed in the United States the strongest situation ever possessed by any other European country. The moral effect for the Entente is considerable, as is the reinforcement of the surveillance of the seas."

## SENATORS FOR ARMED SHIPS

### Both Wadsworth and Calder, Speaking Here, Deplore Filibuster.

Senator James W. Wadsworth advocated sending an army to the trenches in Europe at a meeting of the Republican County Committee of Kings, in Kismet Temple, Brooklyn, last night. He was followed by Senator William M. Calder, who said he regretted he had not had, in the last Congress, the right to cast a vote in support of the President in his demand for the right to arm merchant ships.

Mr. Wadsworth came out openly for a combination of the United States with the Allies.

"In my judgment," he said, "it was a most regrettable incident when the President was refused the authority by the Senate. Now, in order to make our action effective we must ally ourselves unreservedly for the remainder of the war with the Allies."

## BET ON OUR ARMED SHIPS.

### Two to One That American Merchantmen Will Be Unharmed.

Men who like to back up what they believe with bets are beginning to make wagers on contingencies of the armed ship question. A number were reported yesterday, the prevailing basis of the hazards being apparently the probability of an encounter between an American armed vessel and a German submarine. Some believed that the submarines would keep out of the way of the armed vessels, and others thought not—so they bet. One wager reported to have been made in lower Broadway was of $1,000 to $500 that the first American ship to leave this port carrying guns would go across the ocean and back without using her weapons, and this bet seemed to set the odds. A two-to-one bet said to have been made was that the first American vessel attacked by a submarine would be victorious in the encounter, the major amount being $250.

Another bet reported yesterday was one of $100 to $50 that the first American ship armed by the Government would not leave this country before May 8. John Jay Chapman, a lawyer, of 60 Wall Street, expressed his lack of confidence in the Administration by offering the $100, which a friend covered. A. H. Gregg, Vice President of the G. W. Faber, Inc., cigar importers of 36 West Thirty-seventh Street, also sent $50 to The New York Sun, which published Mr. Chapman's offer.

In his letter Mr. Gregg said:

"It is not in a sporting spirit that I wish to make this wager, but as an expression of my faith in the sincerity, determination, courage and patriotism of the President."

The Sun returned the check to Mr. Gregg with Mr. Chapman's address, but this was not done until yesterday, and Mr. Gregg said later in the day that Secretary Lansing's statement of the Government's positive intention to arm American ships made it evident to him that if he renewed his offer to Mr. Chapman it would be equivalent to asking a man to bet against a "sure thing." He added, however, that he was still willing to bet should Mr. Chapman so desire, but Mr. Chapman said that he had offered only one wager and had placed it.

## MAILS TO NEW YORK TAKEN.

### Tanker Here Reports British Hold 39 Sacks at Halifax.

Officers of the American Standard Oil tanker John D. Archbold, which arrived here yesterday in ballast from Bergen, Norway, reported that when the vessel put into Halifax for examination the British authorities removed thirty-nine sacks of mail from Norway, Sweden, and Denmark. This is the first time since the war began that foreign mails have been taken off an American steamship.

The John D. Archbold remained three days at Halifax, and came on to New York without the mail, which, according to the Canadian officials, will be forwarded by rail after it has been examined.

Officers of the Norwegian freighter Askild, which arrived yesterday from Gibraltar, reported passing an unidentified steamship on Feb. 24 off the Azores, which they believed to be a British auxiliary cruiser searching for a German raider that has been reported in the vicinity of the Azores. The American freighter Navajo arrived from Liverpool, and the Greek steamship Chios arrived from Huelva.

## SAFE CONDUCT AGAIN ASKED

### Elkus Renews Negotiations for Passage of Two American Naval Ships.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Abram I. Elkus, the American Ambassador at Constantinople, informed the State Department today that he had again personally taken up the subject of guarantees for the safe passage of the United States cruiser Des Moines and collier Caesar, now at Alexandria, Egypt, to Jaffa and Beirut. He was notified that the Porte had renewed its efforts to obtain from the German and Austrian Governments guarantees for the two ships against submarine attacks. It is expected several days will pass before Turkey receives the Berlin and Vienna replies.

The number of Americans in Turkey of non-Moslem origin who desire to return to the United States was estimated by Ambassador Elkus to be about 1,500, or 500 more than the previous figure which he telegraphed to the Department. He did not estimate the number of naturalized Americans of Moslem origin who have asked for passage on the Des Moines and the Caesar. This number is thought to be about 500.

## GIBBONS APPEALS TO BOYS.

### Cardinal Urges Patriotism at Children's Preparedness Meeting.

BALTIMORE, March 13.—In an address here today at a preparedness meeting for children, Cardinal Gibbons said:

"I want every boy here to be 100 per cent. patriotic, so that whenever an emergency comes you will be ready to stand up for the dignity and honor of your country and hold back at no sacrifice in maintaining the rights of the greatest land on earth."

The Cardinal called the United States "the blessed place."

**No Hamburg-American Dividend.**

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—The Hamburg-American Steamship Company announces that it is unable to declare a dividend for 1916, according to a dispatch from The Hague to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

## CROWDS AND BANDS WELCOME GERARD

### Returning Ambassador Greeted with Enthusiasm as He Journeys North from Florida.

### DUE IN WASHINGTON TODAY

### Arrival Scheduled for 12:33—Break with Germany Means Less Food for British Prisoners There.

*Special to The New York Times.*

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 13.—The Florida East Coast Railway delivered Ambassador Gerard and his party to the Atlantic Coast Line at Jacksonville this afternoon almost on scheduled time, although the huge pile of baggage that had to be handled at Key West had held up the departure from the first American port for nearly two hours.

Mrs. Gerard was the first member of the homecoming party to meet the rigors of American law and administration. She was carrying a great bunch of Cuban roses which had been presented to her in Havana, and as she stepped from the ship to the gankplank an embarrassed customs officer told her that she could not be permitted to bring them into the United States. He explained that it had been found that certain flowers in Cuba were subject to some forms of disease that made it necessary to enforce strict quarantine against them here. So Mrs. Gerard had to leave her beautiful bouquet.

Several of the towns and cities through which the returning Ambassador passed today turned out with crowds and brass bands to give him welcome. The first was at Daytona, Fla., where a couple of hundred men and women gathered beside the train as it stopped, and the local band blared its pleasure at greeting the distinguished traveler from Berlin.

While the band was thus tooting its enthusiasm a man and a woman came up to a group of passengers on the train who were standing by one of the cars and asked for news of the Devisons, who had been left behind at Pontarlier, on the Franco-Swiss border, pending further examination by the French authorities. These Daytona people seemed to be friends of the Devisons, and they were greatly surprised at not finding them on the Ambassador's train. Before an explanation could be given to them the train pulled out, with the Daytona band still doing its brazen best.

**Greeted by Depew and Munsey.**

At St. Augustine there was another crowd, led by the Mayor of the city and by Chauncey Mitchell Depew himself, who greeted Mr. Gerard with hearty good-will. Frank Munsey was with Mr. Depew, and greeted the returning Ambassador with a cordial "How are you, Jimmie?"

Mrs. Gerard left the car and joined her husband on the station platform in receiving the compliments and greetings of the crowd. The St. Augustine brass band ranged itself on the edge of the crowd and manfully tackled "The Star-Spangled Banner." Some of the crowd recognized the national anthem from the first bar and some of the men removed their head coverings. This apparently indifferent recognition of the inspiring music that stands for patriotism and national honor struck observers as a striking indication of the prevalence of the spirit that Mr. Gerard's experience has made him so keen to combat.

The Mayor of St. Augustine urged Mr. Gerard to come back and spend some time there, with Depew and Munsey joining in the invitation. Mr. Gerard compromised by giving a tentative promise, and the train pulled out with the band playing a dance tune that it knew much better than the national hymn.

The announcement in THE NEW YORK TIMES that Mr. Gerard was preparing a book which would be published as soon as he could complete it and in which he would deal with Germany and German conditions and the lessons for the United States has brought a flood of telegrams from the publishing fraternity to him, all wanting first show at the new manuscript. Mr. Gerard was not a little pleased at this convincing evidence of interest in the sermon he has to preach.

There was a little delay in Jacksonville in getting the train made over—cutting out some of the cars that had come from Key West and putting in others—but the assurance from the railroad people was that the time would all be made up and that Mr. Gerard would be delivered in Washington on schedule at 12:33 tomorrow midday.

**Prisoners Close to Starvation.**

There is one phase of the effects of the rupture of relations between the United States and Germany to which not as much attention has been paid as might be. That is the effect on the situation of the 40,000 or more British prisoners of war and interned civilians in Germany. As part of the British interests in his care, Mr. Gerard was occupied in doing all he could for the amelioration of the condition of the Britishers, especially as to food and clothing. The rupture of relations not only leaves the interests of these Britishers in new hands at a very critical juncture, but removes from Germany one of the agencies for their relief which has proved very efficient. That is the Y. M. C. A. organization, which was making itself markedly helpful in many of the prison camps.

The food question is, of course, the most important. It may be said on the highest authority that the British prisoners are now on a diet that is close to starvation, and Mr. Gerard's official report on the matter is very likely to be followed by an organized demand from England that Germany be compelled to better the ration for British prisoners or have German prisoners in England fed on exactly the same diet. As there are more German prisoners in English hands than there are Britishers in German hands, that kind of retaliation might be made very effective. But there is the great difficulty that Germany has not the supplies with which to increase the ration to British prisoners, whereas England has the food to give her German captives.

It is the practically unanimous opinion of the American experts who have been working in the German prison camps that if it were not for the food parcels sent to the British prisoners by their friends in England and by the committees organized for that purpose, the prisoners would be facing slow but sure starvation. If the British prisoners were the only ones the Germans had the matter would be much less difficult but it is going to be a mighty hard matter to induce or force the Germans to give better food to the 40,000 British prisoners when they have nearly 2,000,000 other prisoners to whom they are under the same obligation.

Pending the effort to force Germany to improve the rations of the British prisoners, it is urged that the amount of food sent from England be increased and the distribution of it better organized. As sent now, it goes to named individuals, with the inevitable result that men who have no friends at home looking out for them are without packages. There is urgent demand for a great improvement in this respect and for a radical readjustment of the method of shipping food, as well as for increase in the quantity sent.

## CALL FOR JUNIOR GUNNERS.

### Wanted to Man Motor Boat Fleet for Protection of Coast.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the United States Junior Naval Reserve, held last night at the Astor, it was decided to attempt to enlist 2,000 young men between 18 and 21 years old to serve as signalmen and gunners on the motor boat reserve fleet which will be used for protection against submarines in the event of war. About 250 have already enlisted in the office at 231 West Fifty-eighth Street, and another office is to be opened in Brooklyn soon. Boys are also to be enlisted to serve as messengers at navy yards, arsenals, and munition factories.

Victor H. Stockell, a member of the committee, leaves today for the John Paul Jones Training School, maintained by the reserve at Corpus Christi, Texas, to make plans for the enrollment and organization of young men and boys in that part of the Gulf district. The reserve now has about 7,000 on its rolls. Commander Earl P. Jessup presided at the meeting.

## *PLAN AIR PATROL FROM EIGHT STATIONS*

### *Dirigibles and Seaplanes at Each for Coast Work—Scout Boat Preparations.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—A joint Army-Navy Board is studying the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts preparatory to the establishment of eight aeronautic stations which, besides having two dirigibles and six or eight seaplanes each for aerial patrol work, probably will serve as bases for the new 110-foot coast scout boats, of which the navy will order more than a hundred in a few days.

Sixteen dirigibles and a sufficient number of seaplanes already have been contracted for, and officers and men for the air service are being selected to be sent to the station at Pensacola, Fla., for training. A school dirigible for the station is about ready for delivery.

The eight stations will be distributed along the coasts to cover strategic areas to be determined by the board. Each will require six officers and forty men.

The only station site already definitely selected is that at Coco Solo, near Colon, Canal Zone, for which an appropriation of $1,000,000 to establish a joint aviation and submarine base was asked of the last Congress. The project is expected to go through at the coming special session. Funds for the other stations will also be sought at that time, but the department has emergency appropriations sufficient to begin the work at once. The dirigibles are to be delivered within four months.

At present no stations for the Pacific Coast are being prepared, although the chain of coast patrol bases will be extended along the entire coast line as rapidly as machines can be obtained and men trained.

The immediate plans require in the next four months the training in handling dirigibles of fifty officers and 350 men at Pensacola. Crews for the seaplanes are already under training, but their number will have to be increased largely without delay.

In providing boats to aid in the task of guarding the coasts, navy experts would prefer a standard type 130-foot steel boat for patrol and submarine chasing work, but in the interest of speedy construction have determined on 110-footers with wooden hulls, so that builders of wooden boats can share in the work. Orders will be placed later for some small submarine chasers ranging from 50 to 85 feet in length.

## CALLS PACIFISTS A MENACE.

### Menken Says Pinchot and His Followers Seek to Arouse Class Hatred.

Accusing the pacifists of a deliberate attempt to arouse class hatred in their opposition to the preparedness program, S. Stanwood Menken, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the National Security League, issued a statement yesterday in reply to the letter denouncing universal military training sent by Amos Pinchot to Samuel Gompers.

"This course of the pacifists is a menace to the entire structure of American liberty," says Mr. Menken. Mr. Pinchot, according to the summary in THE NEW YORK TIMES, imputes to Wall Street and the Security League a plot by which American men, through military discipline and training, are to be made into 'obedient slaves of a ruling money class.'

"Mr. Pinchot and his pacifists have been endeavoring for the last year to arouse class hatred in connection with the defense program, and repeatedly I have had to meet the argument that the entire scheme of preparedenss is one to make powder food of the masses to be commanded by the classes. At first they claimed that Wall Street had financed the Security League. It is unfortunate that no one has or we would not have our present struggle for funds. What money we have gotten has come from over 100,000 contributors, mostly in $1 bills.

"The crop we are going to reap through this course of the pacifists is a menace to the entire structure of American liberty."

## CANADIANS HEAR ARMY PLEA

### Herbert S. Houston Says War Shows Need of Universal Service.

The Canadian Club of New York at its annual smoker last night at the Biltmore, listened to statistics read by Herbert S. Houston of Doubleday, Page & Co., which, he said, showed that the voluntary enlistment method in Canada permitted slackers to stay in the rear. Then the club applauded him vigorously when he declared that universal service was the only democratic means of raising an army for any country.

Mr. Houston, who was introduced by President Thomas D. Neelands of the club, said that the war record of the western provinces of Canada was inspiring. But it showed, he said, that the maritime provinces, which would be the first attacked in the event of an oversea expedition by an enemy power, had produced a smaller percentage of soldiers. Manitoba, Mr. Houston said, has enlisted 110 per cent. of the number of soldiers her population would normally have produced under universal service as administered in France. Alberta had produced 135 per cent. and British Columbia 126 per cent. Quebec, however, had produced only 30 per cent. and other provinces of the same section had also fallen far under the normal.

Major Charles W. Gordon of the Forty-third Cameron Highlanders of Canada, who in private life is a clergyman and famous as an author under the pen name "Ralph Connor," was the guest of honor. He confirmed from his own observations reports of German atrocities.

Frederic R. Coudert declared that the United States had a vital interest in the present conflict because it was a conflict between "enlightened democracy such as we have in America" and "the German system of blood and iron."

Private P. J. Jensen of the "Canadian Black Watch," who was wounded at Ypres, told of the sensations of being "gassed."

## TAMMANY FOR DEFENSE, TOO

### Aids the Mayor's Committee in National Preparedness.

The Executive Committee of Tammany Hall held a meeting yesterday and adopted a resolution, submitted by Sheriff Alfred E. Smith, upholding the President of the United States and offering aid and co-operation in behalf of the Mayor's Committee on National Defense. The resolution is as follows:

Whereas, Grave and serious international complications arising out of the European conflict are menacing the rights and liberties of Americans citizens;

Resolved, That we, the executive representatives of the Democratic County Committee, at a meeting assembled at Tammany Hall, do pledge our loyal and wholehearted support to the President of the United States; and be it further

Resolved, That we offer our aid and co-operation to the Mayor's Committee on National Defense in securing signatures of American citizens to the following declaration addressed to the President of the United States:

"As an American, faithful to American ideals of justice, liberty, and humanity, and confident that the Government has exerted its most earnest efforts to keep us at peace with the world, I hereby declare my absolute and unconditional loyalty to the Government of the United States and pledge my support to you in protecting American rights against unlawful violence upon land and sea, in guarding the nation against hostile attacks, and in upholding international right."

"And be it further Resolved, That petitions in blank containing this declaration be circulated for signatures in the thirty-one Assembly districts comprising the organization of the Democratic County Committee.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

## GOVERNORS PLEDGE SUPPORT TO WILSON

### Executives of Six New England States Also Urge Prompt Action for Defense.

### ADDRESS BY GENERAL WOOD

### Officer Tells Recruiting Committee That Pacifists Are Retarding Army Enlistment.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, Mass., March 13.—The Governors of the New England States, except Governor Beeckman of Rhode Island, who is ill, held a long session at the State House here this afternoon and evening discussing measures of public safety. Each State was represented also by its Adjutant General, and there were present also Major Gen. Leonard Wood, commander of the military Department of the East; Commandant Rush of the Boston Navy Yard, Captain Constant Cordier, U. S. A., and the Subcommittee on Naval Affairs of the Legislative Committee on Public Safety.

The most significant result of the conference was the adoption of the following declaration:

We, the undersigned Governors of the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut, hereby pledge our support and the support of our respective States to the President of the United States in carrying out his announced policy to protect American lives and property upon the high seas.

To the end that this may be effectively accomplished and that we may be able to defend American ships and American rights and the honor and integrity of our country, we urge upon the national Government the supreme importance of recruiting the army and navy to a war footing and of the immediate manufacture of ample military supplies and equipment and their speedy distribution among the depots in the various States so that in case of need they may be instantly available.

It is our profound conviction that the practical preparation which is necessary to enable even our present small army and navy to fight should be prosecuted with all possible vigor.

We urge upon our National Government the necessity of making forthwith the most energetic preparation for national defense upon land and sea.

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MARCUS H. HOLCOMB.

Governor Holcomb outlined to his brother executives the emergency legislation which has been enacted in Connecticut and laid particular emphasis on the elaborate and thorough census of human resources which has been taken there. The other Governors agreed to undertake such a census at once. It was also decided to establish citizens organization in each State. The idea of a Central Executive Committee for all New England was also discussed tentatively.

The Governors discussed the plan of the Federal Government which calls for the erection of a New England division in case of war, and General Wood announced that he had recommended that a Federal officer, with the rank of acting Major General be designated at the present time to take charge of this projected division so as to complete arrangements in time of peace.

Much dissatisfaction was expressed by all the Governors and Adjutant Generals at the inability to obtain military equipment, and it was unanimously voted to ask the authorities in Washington to forward the necessary war-strength equipment to distributing stations in the several States. Tentative proposals were also put forward looking to the establishment of a uniform system of Home Guards in all the six States.

The conference was interrupted by dinner at the Union Club, where the discussion continued over the table.

The conference was held at the initiative of Governor McCall, and his invitation was promptly responded to. General Wood is understood to have laid stress upon the vulnerability of the East in event of war in his address, and, although the meeting of the Governors was private, it is said that he laid before them certain definite plans for defense both by sea and land.

Advices received here are to the effect that Governors in other regions are planning to hold conferences similar to that of today.

Major Gen. Leonard Wood, at a mass meeting in the State House, held under the auspices of the Subcommittee on Recruiting of the Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety, said that recruiting for the army throughout the country was "going slow." As reasons for this condition, he gave prosperity, prevailing assurance of employment, and, "most of all, the unpatriotic pacifist campaign, a campaign of men and of money urging men not to enlist in the United States Army."

Conferences were now being held in various parts of the country to see what could be done, Major Gen. Wood stated.

"There is a fine spirit all over the land, but it is not a well trained spirit," he said. "It is organization that we have tried to drive home upon our people: 'Get ready, not for war, but get ready against it. God knows we do not want war. If we get through this situation which faces us now, watch out the situation of unpreparedness does not happen again, and thank God on your marrow bones that you have escaped.'"

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## CALLS GERMAN IRISH IRELAND'S ENEMIES

### Henry A. Wise Wood Declares Propagandists Are Stifling Sympathy of Americans.

### SEES HATRED IN JAPAN

### German Plotters, Socialists, and Pacifists Dubbed the Trinity of Treason.

"The pro-German propaganda conducted by Irishmen in this country has done more to stifle sentiment for Ireland than anything that has happened in a generation," said Henry A. Wise Wood at a patriotic rally in Broadway Tabernacle conducted by the Pilgrim Hall Public Forum last night. "If Senator O'Gorman and the Irish will not stand for the protection of American rights, will the American people stand for the Irish? Not for a minute."

"No; they will not," yelled a man in the audience.

"Senator O'Gorman isn't a Senator any longer," cried another.

Mr. Wood asserted that the "strange alliance between Germans and Irishmen" was one of the problems that had to be met in preparing the United States for the many trials in store for them. He insisted, over the objections of George Haven Putnam, another speaker, that the public forums of the city, and especially the "Cooper Union kind," were doing more to "undermine nationalism and patriotism" and were "creating more social and national defectives" than any other agency of which he knew.

"Pacifists, such as Morris Hillquit, who seek to teach Americans their duty and speak with a strong foreign accent;" the Rev. John Haynes Holmes, pastor of the Church of the Messiah; Oswald Garrison Villard, and other 'nonresisters' and 'parasites,' were a dangerous element in the country, Mr. Wood contended, in view of the bitter hatred of Japan for the United States.

"On the one hand we have the fanatics leading the ignorant, and on the other the German bombing squads," Mr. Wood said. "I have a good inventory of the high human explosives in this country, and those who stand for the Trinity of Treason, the pro-German conspirators, the socialists, and the pacifists, will be responsible if blood is shed in our streets.

"Then, too, we already have had the suggestion from Berlin that Germany, Japan, and Mexico might co-operate against us. When we have on the one hand a nation as mad as Germany and on the other a nation as ambitious as Japan we have need of preparedness. Japan hates the United States and has cause for it. When her people were wearing silks ours were wearing skins, and we exclude her people from our country although Africans have the right to enter."

Mr. Wood read a statement made by a prominent Japanese in Japan last October, which, Mr. Wood said, gave a graphic illustration of the sentiment of Japan toward the United States. Americans were referred to in the statement as "fatuous boobs," who had "much money and no sentiment," and who were a "race of thieves, with the hearts of rats."

"I say that I believe that this is the sentiment of Japan toward the United States, and if the men and women here want to do the patriotic thing they will write to their Congressmen to vote for the General Staff's bill for universal military training," said Mr. Wood.

A man in the audience remonstrated with Mr. Wood for "creating distrust" of Japan, which will be "on the side of the United States if we go to war with Germany, but Mr. Wood said this was a time to tell the truth, no matter how unpleasant. Another man, who said he was a Canadian, also asserted that he considered Mr. Wood's remarks unwise, and that it was "unfair to make an appeal for extreme militarism" by sowing distrust and suspicion of other nations.

Mr. Wood paid a tribute to the Roman Catholic Church which, he said, had shown more patriotism in the present emergency than many of the Protestant churches.

General Putnam assailed Germany for her submarine methods and her violation of American rights, and asserted that American harbors should be opened to British cruisers patrolling and protecting American coasts.

Charles P. Howland, the third speaker, pointed out that conflict between the United States and Germany was inevitable, because the one country stood for liberalism and democracy and the other for militarism and Prussianism.

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# INDIAN COTTON LEVY EXPECTED TO STAND

### Asquith's Support Saves Lloyd George Government from Danger of Division.

### DELEGATION SEES PREMIER

### Lancashire Men's Plea Fails to Move Him—Nationalists' Attitude in Doubt.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Wednesday, March 14.—"Thanks to the stand made by Mr. Asquith, the Government will not be placed in danger tomorrow," the Daily Chronicle's parliamentary correspondent writes. "There is no longer the element of danger to the Government in a division tomorrow on the Indian cotton duty. Mr. Asquith probably will counsel his supporters to abstain from a division, and it was stated tonight that he might in given circumstances even support the Government.

"In the lobby free traders generally take the view that there is no justification for an increased import duty, and they blame the Government for bringing forward so contentious a subject at such a time, but they are not disposed to the point of voting against the Government, and a vast majority of them will abstain from a division.

"The Prime Minister made a strong appeal on patriotic grounds to Lancashire members who waited upon him today, urging them not to persevere with their hostility, but so strong is the feeling in Lancashire and so repugnant is the Government proposal to their convictions that most of them will feel bound to vote against the increased duty.

"Unless the Nationalists decide to vote against the Government the hostile minority will not exceed fifty."

One of the members of a deputation of Lancashire M. P.'s who waited on Lloyd George yesterday, in an interview said the Premier held out no hopes whatever of the Government altering its decision. It was considered to be the policy of the Government, and he appealed to Lancashire to put up with the burden, as it was absolutely unavoidable. The Prime Minister further held out no hope of a compromise, and could not accede to the request of the deputation to postpone the whole matter until after the war. The Government's position remained the same as on Monday, he explained, and if its decision was altered it would cause intense feeling in India.

LONDON, March 13.—The belief obtained in Parliamentary lobbies tonight that the Government would be successful in carrying the new Indian cotton duties. However, Lancashire members after a meeting at the House of Commons tonight decided to move an amendment to the Government motion for tomorrow, repudiating the imposition of the duties, unless a countervailing excise duty was imposed.

The real factor in bringing about a probable arrangement is general reluctance to precipitate a general election. It is said that this reluctance has decided ex-Premier Asquith and his followers to do nothing that might place the Government in an embarrassing position.

The attitude of the Nationalists is still uncertain. They desire to establish a tariff system under Irish Home Rule, and it would, therefore, be illogical for them to oppose the Indian duties, much as they may wish to vote against the Government. It is believed that they will abstain from voting.

Members of a Lancashire deputation which waited on Lloyd George today stated that the Premier said he had been consulted by the Indian Government regarding the imposition of duties. They added that he had made a most impressive speech, explaining the necessity of the duties, which would not be without effect in Lancashire.

The Liverpool Cotton Exchange has been informed by the Foreign Office, according to the Exchange Telegraph, that in order to save tonnage the Government has decided to prohibit, except under license, the exportation of all raw cotton from the United Kingdom.

The prohibition of the exportation of raw cotton will cause a suspension of exports from Egypt to the United States by way of Liverpool. For the ten weeks ending March 8 the exportation of raw cotton from the United Kingdom amounted to 99,833 bales, of which 67,374 bales were of Egyptian growth.

# GERMAN SOLDIERS MUTINY IN BELGIUM

### Great Numbers Are Imprisoned for Insubordination at Namur and Huy, Amsterdam Reports.

AMSTERDAM, March 13.—Serious disturbances among the German troops in the vicinity of Namur and Huy are reported by the Telegraaf. The paper says that only fragmentary reports of the trouble have reached Holland, but that it is known that such large numbers of soldiers have been imprisoned at Namur and Huy on charges of insubordination in connection with the outbreak that the prisons in those towns are crowded to four and five times their normal capacity.

The Telegraaf also publishes an account of further food riots in Barmen, in which the Chief of Police was seriously wounded by stones flung by women rioters. The account says that the police were helpless, and that even the troops failed to disperse the rioters who were finally got in hand when firemen turned their fire hose on them. A rioter who cut a hose with a knife was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

# TO QUIT BELGIUM, BUT RELIEF GOES ON

### Americans, Including Whitlock, Likely to be Forced Out by German Pressure.

### DUTCH AND SPANISH TO AID

### Hoover, Who Has Gone to Europe, Says America Must Help Even if War Comes.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Under German official pressure, Americans who are connected with the Commission for Relief in Belgium are preparing to withdraw from Northern France and Belgium, turning over the work to Dutch or Spanish representatives, or both. The United States Government is convinced that Germany is determined to make it appear that American citizens have deserted the field. Germany, it is asserted, is employing every species of petty annoyance to embarrass the commission's work.

Annoyances having failed, it is thought that Germany has purposely resorted to interference with the sailing of Belgian relief ships and to actual attacks on them after they have sailed.

It is practically certain that Brand Whitlock, American Minister to Belgium, will leave Belgium when the transference of the relief work to Dutch and Spanish representatives is made. It has been indicated that Switzerland has been approached informally concerning possible participation by its nationals in the distribution of supplies. It was suggested here today, however, that English, French, and Belgian opposition to Swiss participation, because of the large number of pro-German citizens of Switzerland, would prevent such participation.

Delay in announcement of the reorganization of the Commission for Relief in Belgium has been caused by reluctance of the French Government to permit a majority of Spaniards to conduct the relief work in Northern France. The French Government, it is understood, insists that a majority shall be Dutch.

### HOOVER OFF FOR EUROPE.

### Hopes to Re-enter Belgium—Says We Must Aid, Even if War Comes.

Herbert C. Hoover, head of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, who has sailed to return to his post in London after starting a campaign for funds throughout the country, said that no war into which America might be plunged would absolve her from the duty of continuing to give help to the starving and destitute people of Belgium. He will go first to London and then to Paris and Rotterdam, and, if conditions permit, will enter Belgium to confer with the American members of the commission who are still carrying on the work there.

"If there is no war between the United States and Germany," Mr. Hoover continued, "the food will be distributed in Belgium by Americans and in Northern France by the Dutch. If war comes, arrangements have been made for Dutch agents to take over the work in Belgium. They have been working with the Americans in distributing the food in the 2,000 municipalities for the past two years and understand how to continue the work in the regular routine.

"The Commission for Relief in Belgium, founded by the intervention of the American Government, and carried on by her citizens, is today the largest venture in the history of international benevolent economic service and charity. It stands to the world as an American institution, and has so far brought lustre to the name of America. Its continued success should be a matter of first American pride.

"We have sixteen steamships loaded with grain on the ocean now, and will start six more this week. Ten millions of people are dependent for their very lives upon the arrival of these cargoes before mid-April. We have lost fifteen ships in the last two years, all of which were insured, out of 500 voyages. Of our 10,000,000 wards, 2,500,000 are in the occupied portion of France and are fed through money given to us by France. Of the 7,500,000 remaining in Belgium, more than 3,500,000 are totally destitute, and their Government and institutions are unable to provide for them. Great Britain, France, and the Government of Belgium have contributed 91 per cent. of the funds for these destitute 3,500,000."

Mr. Hoover said that the commission was caring for 200,000 children who were debilitated and receiving special diet. Another 1,250,000 children require an extra meal a day to avert a great tragedy, and to save these children the sum of $1,250,000 monthly is needed. Of 220,000 Belgian refugees in England, all except 15,000, mostly women and children, are employed, and they are contributing from their earnings in British industries $300,000 monthly.

George Barr Baker, a member of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, said that the commission was not in a weak financial state by any means, but needed an apostle of service like Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts.

"He is a man," Mr. Baker said, "who can meet the spiritual demand as Hoover has that for initiative and organization."

# BERNSTORFF TALKS ON CAUSE FOR WAR

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made public through the Wolff Bureau, the official German news agency.

It is understood that the statement deals with the way in which Foreign Secretary Zimmermann's instructions to the German Minister in Mexico City fell into the hands of the American Government.

### No Peace Negotiations On.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Reports from Europe that negotiations to avoid a declaration of war have been begun between the United States and Germany are not true. They are believed to be based upon the understanding that Count von Bernstorff, the former German Ambassador, who is due in Berlin, will use his influence with his Government to prevent hostilities. Before he left Washington his friends said that if war was not declared between the United States and Germany before he reached Berlin there would be no war. This was construed to mean that the Ambassador's friends believed he would be able to place the situation in such a light that the German Government would modify its submarine policy at once.

Count von Bernstorff has the reputation here of having been sincerely desirous of avoiding a conflict between his country and the United States. He was credited with having prevented war on several occasions when a clash seemed imminent. At one time Count von Bernstorff, according to the understanding in well-informed circles, obtained a promise from his Government that he should be permitted to draft or supervise all communications to the United States with respect to the submarine issue. It is said in this connection that he so phrased the German communications that the United States was placated and a break in relations avoided. It is also said that Count von Bernstorff has never been in sympathy with the von Tirpitz policy of unrestricted submarine warfare.

It is said here that immediately upon the arrival of Count von Bernstorff in Berlin he will seek to show his Government that war with the United States would be a grave error from the German standpoint and endeavor to point out ways of avoiding a hostile conflict, possibly by not sinking American merchant vessels. The reports from Europe that when Count von Bernstorff arrives in Berlin the submarine question will be discussed by German diplomatic and naval representatives called home from neutral countries, probably arise from knowledge of arrangements that have been made at the instance of Count von Bernstorff. In view of the thorough understanding by Count von Bernstorff of the attitude of the United States it is believed that he will exercise a powerful influence on the imperial authorities in any consideration they may give to suggestions that the policy of ruthless submarine warfare be modified.

# ENVOY LEFT QUIETLY FROM DANISH CAPITAL

### German Residents Gave Bernstorff a Hearty Welcome on His Arrival There.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

COPENHAGEN, (via London,) March 13.—Count and Countess von Bernstorff with their suite left here at 7:34 o'clock this morning on a special train for Berlin. At the departure, which was extremely quiet and without any demonstrations, Prince Wittgenstein and Captain von Neergaard, Military Attaché, represented the German legation.

COPENHAGEN, (via London,) March 13.—The departure of the Frederik VIII. from Christiania was decided upon so suddenly that several passengers were left behind in the Norwegian capital. The impending arrival of the steamer here was known early and the German colony assembled at the dock to give the returning Ambassador a hearty welcome. By 9 o'clock the quays were thronged with thousands of people, but only the most important Germans and those who were awaiting relatives and friends were admitted inside the inclosure.

The German Minister to Denmark, Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, with the staffs of the German Legation and Consulate and the Austrian Minister, Count Szechenyi, reached the dock as the ship berthed. The liner's band played American airs and the deck was aflutter with American flags waved by passengers. Count von Bernstorff and his wife stood on the promenade deck watching the docking and apparently oblivious of an American flag which was waved energetically by a neighbor.

The German and Austrian Ministers were quickly on board and exchanged greetings in the lounge with Count von Bernstorff, who then gave himself up to photographers and reporters and posed on deck with his wife. Count Rantzau remarked that Count von Bernstorff's face lacked its familiar smile.

The dismissed Ambassador talked with the newspapermen about his trip, but declined to discuss politics. According to the other passengers, the Count had no wireless communication with Germany until he reached Norwegian waters. An extraordinary number of police had been detailed to control the crowds at the waterfront, but there was no demonstration.

A contributor to the Politiken had an interview with Prince Hatzfeldt Zu Trachenberg, who was counselor to the Washington Embassy, aboard the Frederik VIII. The Prince refused to talk about politics, but about the party's visit to Halifax, he said:

"I don't exaggerate when I say that the twelve days at Halifax were the most disagreeable I ever spent. Though we were treated politely, we yet felt as if we were considered dangerous criminals. The examination of persons and baggage as, I dare say, very, very, careful and thoroughgoing."

### EXAMINERS DENY CHARGES.

### Special Care Taken to Avoid Indignity to Bernstorff Party.

OTTAWA, March 13.—Officials who were in charge of the examination of the Frederik VIII. at Halifax say that, while the examination was, of course, thorough, there was not a moment's unnecessary delay, and special care was taken to prevent any of the passengers being subject to indignities.

The examination of the women passengers was done by women. The examination of Countess Bernstorff took less than three minutes. The published statement that the insoles of her shoes were ripped off is an absolute falsehood, the officials declare, as is also the statement that all hot water bottles, baby nipples, and rubber heels were confiscated. Passengers having more than one water bottle in their luggage were relieved of all but one. There were no baby nipples or rubber heels seized.

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# ASSAILS PRIVILEGES OF GERMAN JUNKERS

### Dr. Wolff of the Tageblatt Says "the Times Are Ripe for Fearless Innovations."

### WEALTHY CAN GET FOOD

### The "Daily Turnip," He Asserts, Smells of Culinary Pleasures in Other Places.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Monday, March 12, (via London, March 13.)—In his Monday review in the Tageblatt Dr. Theodor Wolff draws a comparison between Germany's junker class of today and those French aristocrats who opposed Turgot, Louis XVI.'s famous Minister, in all his efforts for reform. Then he proceeds to chastise classes who insist on privileges, no matter how the other classes suffer by them. He says:

"Herr Michaelis, State Commissioner for Food Supply, admitted in his manly, honest speech to the Diet that eggs, milk, butter, fruit, and vegetables still abounded in many rural districts. It is necessary to gather these pleasant things, not only to flatter the urban palate, but also for psychological reasons. One would eat the daily turnip with more appetite, if convinced that it did not smell of other culinary pleasures in certain places. But when we hear everybody returning from the country and the more favored little towns tell with satiated smiles of the eggs they discovered in nests out there and the butter that is shining on huge slices of bread, it is then that turnips fail to inspire us with enthusiasm.

"Since the Government raised no helping hand, individuals help themselves and everybody is now busy gathering by circuitous ways.

"It has become quite a habit of the urban dweller to scout for secreted eatables, which are not to be had in the ordinary manner. Anybody strolling about Berlin's railway stations in the evening will notice great numbers of passengers arriving from the country loaded with sacks, satchels and all kinds of queer packages. And these great numbers belong to all classes. The police tried to interfere with these people, but the Berlin Magistrates' continuous protest has had its effect. They now remain unmolested. What we should like to know, however, is what becomes of the mail packages, containing food supplies, from the country which have the habit of disappearing as if they contained secret propositions for alliances to the President of Mexico.

"All these are little pictures of contemporary history, which the conscientious chronologist ought to find desirable for the benefit of a well-nurtured posterity. Uninteresting and picturesque as they may appear to our grandchildren, they are bitterly serious to us.

"The ghastly calamity which the Commissioner for Food Supply said must overtake the nation unless every source is made use of sparingly is not in sight, thank Heaven, and let us hope it will be spared this resolute people. But even care presses heavily.

"The political leaders of what is called the junker class, which consists, however, not wholly of junkers, make an extraordinary mistake if they sham inability to understand the seriousness of the situation. This coupled with their open announcement of purpose to fight down any attempts to reduce their privileges is all the more provoking.

"What shall we say to the speech of the very learned Count York von Wartenburg in the upper house of the Prussian Diet? Every step forward frightens this apprehensive custodian of the past. It is always the same song about Germany's geographical position in being surrounded by hostile nations making the retention of the present system imperative.

"Our preceptors do not fail to point again to the great things we owe to our ancestors, and this shall not be denied. But even Louis XVI. wrote not entirely without gratification on the margin of the draft for restitution submitted to him by the great Turgot these angry words: 'France owes her position in Europe to the old régime.'

"Count York regards the mere cooperation by the Reichstag in introducing civil service as 'a revolutionary measure.' He refuses to members of the lower Prussian house their daily allowance and free railway fares because they have 'no business' traveling around the country and 'spying for information' against the Government, despite the fact that the Government itself introduced the bill.

"Herr von Heydebrandt prophesies our ruin, unless we exact war compensation from our enemies. Formerly he accused the 'unpatriotic' Social Democracy of being apt to do ruin. There is neither ruin nor revolution in back of the patriotism of the Socialists.

"But we can see disease approaching the nation and a desire for preventive action. The times are ripe for fearless innovations."

# JAPAN TO SEND WARSHIP WITH GUTHRIE'S BODY

### Emperor Plans the Honor As a Special Mark of Friendship To the United States.

TOKIO, Monday, March 12.—As a special mark of honor to the late George W. Guthrie, American Ambassador to Japan, the Emperor is expected to detail a Japanese warship to transport the body to the United States. The official announcement designating the warship is anticipated with great interest because broadly interpreted it will be a special manifestation of friendship for the American nation, especially as Japanese warships are at present occupied in patrol duty in the Pacific and Indian Oceans.

Great numbers of persons have visited the American Naval Hospital where the body lies in state, the closed coffin surmounted with a beautiful wreath from the Emperor. The Diplomatic Corps sent a silver wreath designed by Japanese artists. The reception rooms are massed with floral offerings from Japanese dignitaries and Japanese and American organizations. Japanese officers and American military and naval attachés constitute the Guard of Honor.

It was unofficially announced today that the first class cruiser Azuma probably would be designated to transport Mr. Guthrie's body to the United States.

HARRISBURG, Penn., March 13.—Vance C. McCormick today denied a rumor that he would be named to succeed the late Ambassador Guthrie at Tokio. "There is nothing to it," he said.

### EXPECT A NEW PAPAL MOVE.

### Observers in Rome Predict an Allocution on War March 22.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, March 13.—It is still asserted in Vatican circles that the Pope will not include in the Allocution which he will deliver to the Consistory of March 22 any political passage; but it is believed that this is done in order not to arouse expectations, and that the Pontiff is really preparing a new and important statement regarding the international situation.

Those who hold this viewpoint to the long conversations which the Pope has had with the two English Cardinals, Gasquet and Bourne, the latter having remained in Rome for about four months, despite pressing affairs urging his return to his work at Westminster.

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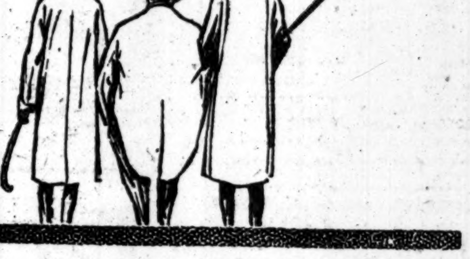

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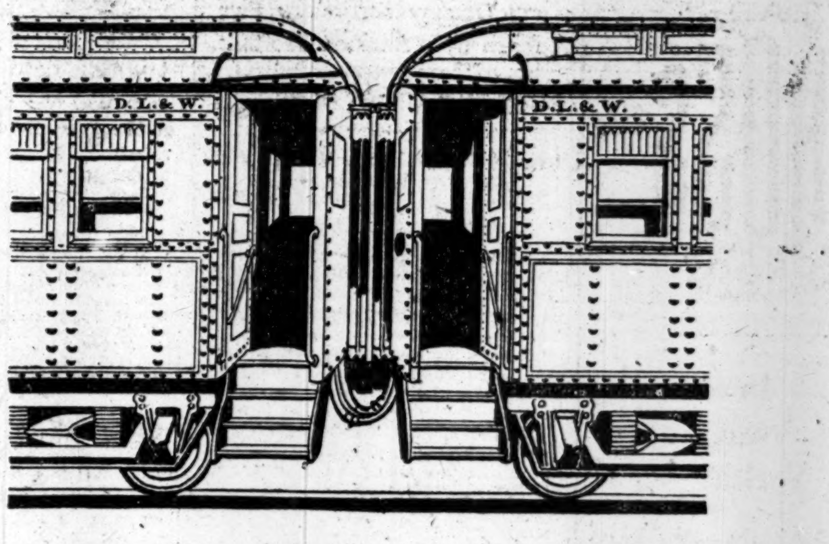

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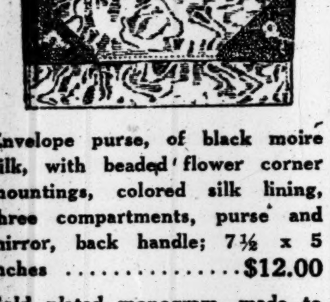

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# BRITISH TAKE TOWN BEYOND BAGDAD

### Gen. Maude's Cavalry Push On and Occupy Kazimain, Five Miles from Ancient Capital.

### RUSSIAN VICTORY IN PERSIA?

### Report That 15,000 Turks Were Captured Reaches Washington.

LONDON, March 13.—British cavalry from Bagdad has occupied Kazimain, on the Tigris River five miles above Bagdad, it was officially announced today. The occupation took place on March 11.

Considerable booty was taken in Bagdad. Five hundred wounded were left in the city and made prisoners by the British.

Lieut. Gen. F. S. Maude, telegraphing late Sunday night, gives these details of events, leading up to and following the capture of Bagdad:

"Saturday evening we maintained close touch with the enemy on both banks of the Tigris south of Bagdad. During the night the enemy evacuated his entire trench line, while we pushed forward in close contact. Before dawn on Sunday a general advance on both banks was ordered, and at 5:55 o'clock in the morning we occupied the railway station, the city being entered shortly afterward. Our cavalry pushed forward in pursuit and after slight resistance occupied Kazimain, capturing over 100 prisoners and four damaged airplanes.

"Our gunboats now took up the pursuit.

"During this recent fighting fierce gales and blinding dust storms, the lack of water away from the river, and the vigorous pursuit made the operations arduous.

"Since Feb. 23 the Turks had been busy destroying and removing everything of value in Bagdad. A considerable amount of booty has nevertheless fallen into our hands, including large quantities of equipment, arms, and ammunition. Five hundred Turkish wounded also were abandoned by the enemy.

"On the left bank of the Tigris between 200 and 300 Turkish dead were counted on Saturday, and 300 prisoners were taken.

"On entering the city of Bagdad the local inhabitants gave us a warm welcome. Slight disturbances occurred in the city consequent upon the Turkish evacuation, but complete order was restored when our troops entered."

## REPORT 15,000 TURKS TAKEN.

### Advices from a Foreign Legation Say Russians Cut Them Off in Persia.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Advices reached the State Department today, through a foreign diplomatic establishment here, that the Russian Army in Western Persia had gained a great victory, capturing 15,000 Turks, who were cut off from Bagdad. No details of the victory have been received in Washington.

According to opinion here, every indication points to the rapid collapse of the Turkish military power. The capture of these 15,000 men suggests that the occupation of Bagdad by the British forces was even more important than at first supposed. It is inferred here that the Russian armies in Persia and the British expedition forces are near enough to co-operate against the demoralized Turks.

# SAYS BAGDAD'S FALL MAY DISRUPT TURKEY

### *Naggiar Thinks It Will Alienate Many Arabs in High Army Commands.*

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, March 13.—The Journal publishes an interview with Ibrahim S. Naggiar, the local editor of Orient Trade, the leading Arab organ published in French, in which he points out the important consequences which the capture of Bagdad will have on the Arabian subjects of Turkey.

Forty per cent. of the officers in the Ottoman Army are Arabs, many of whom hold the highest rank, such as Hadj Pasha el Farouki, Chief of the General Staff, and Riza Pasha el Bagdadi, Commander in Chief of the Turkish troops during the Balkan War. Most of these Arabian officers come from Mesopotamia, principally Bagdad. On the eve of Turkey's entering the present war, 50 per cent. of the cadets at the Constantinople Military Academy of Pancalti were of Arab extraction.

The fall of Bagdad, says Mr. Naggiar, will signify for them the liberation of the Mesopotamian capital from the Turkish yoke, and he recounts the following incident in proof of his assertion:

At the end of 1915 the Commander of the Pancalti Military Academy, who was an arden pan-Turk, made a speech to the cadets exalting national Turkish ideals, and finished by reciting from a Turkish patriotic poem, of which the refrain is: "We are Turks, sons of victorious Turkish warriors, and we march to the victory of our Empire." To which a cadet, born in Bagdad, replied empahtically: "We are not Turks; we are Arabs, and proud to be so. If we defend the Empire it is because it is the Ottoman Empire; but, if you insist on turning it into the Turkish Empire, allow us to refrain from participating in your war."

M. Naggiar is convinced that Germany will do its utmost to withhold the news of the fall of Bagdad from the Ottoman troops in Europe, and that it is highly necessary that this news be conveyed to them, as the effect will be incalculable. He thinks it may deprive Turkey of half her officers.

## BAGDAD'S FALL "REGRETTED."

### But It Will Not Affect the Outcome of the War, Says Cologne Paper.

LONDON, March 13.—The Kölnische Volkszeitung is quoted by the Amsterdam correspondent of the Central News as describing the occupation of Bagdad as an undeniable success for the British, especially as the British also have succeeded in driving the Turks from the Sinai Peninsula.

The event must be regretted, but it has not the least influence on the decision of the war, the newspaper says, Mesopotamia being a secondary theatre of operations. The loss of Bagdad, it comments, is nevertheless painful to the Turks.

## CAPTURE 570 RUSSIANS.

### Berlin Reports Successful Raids on Galician Front.

BERLIN, March 13, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—German troops advancing against the Russian lines on the Narayuvka River in Galicia took more than 250 prisoners. Army Headquarters announced tonight. The statement reads:

On the eastern front in an advance on the Narayuvka we took more than 250 prisoners.

An earlier official report announced that thirteen machine guns and more than 300 prisoners had been taken by the Germans yesterday in raiding the Russian lines in Galicia, north of the Zlochoff-Tarnopol Railroad. It read:

Front of Prince Leopold.—The weather being bright, the Russian artillery opened fire in several sectors, to which we replied strongly. North of the Zlochoff-Tarnopol Railroad German reconnoitring detachments carried out in strenuous manner and with foresight an enterprise during which three Russian officers, 320 men, and thirteen machine guns were captured. Advances into the Russian lines near Brzezany and on the Narayuvka also brought us gains in prisoners and booty.

Fronts of Archduke Joseph and Field Marshal von Mackensen.—The situation is unchanged. There were engagements in the forefield during the day.

Macedonian Front.—French battalions attacked our positions between Ochrida and Presba Lakes. They were repulsed. Our aviation squadrons made bomb attacks on the railroad station at Vertekop, southeast of Vodena. Our aviators obtained hits which caused a conflagration that was visible for a long time.

## FIGHTING IN ALBANIA.

### Vienna War Office Reports Italians Near Stronghold of Berat.

BERLIN, March 13.—The War Office today gave out the following bulletin reporting activity in Albania as received from Austrian Headquarters:

Southeastern Front—Skirmishes have occurred southeast of Berat. Otherwise the situation is unchanged.

The Italians have not been in the vicinity of Berat since they withdrew from that place and from Durazzo on the coast, in December, 1915, and established themselves in force at Avlona, where before January, 1916, they had concentrated 260,000 troops, with the obvious objective of Monastir, or at least of protecting the left flank of Sarrail's allied army at Saloniki if this army should advance into Serbia.

Last Summer and early Autumn with the advance of Sarrail's army the Italian troops at Avlona, who were under General Piacentini, began to extend their lines southward in order to protect Sarrail's army from a possible flank in Epirus, and eastward in order to link up with the Serbians, Russians, and French, who were investing Monastir, which is 120 miles by road northeast of Avlona.

Berat, which is situated on a similar plateau, is a natural fortification of great strength, capable, it is said, of protecting five army corps or 200,000 men if properly supported by artillery. It is half way between the northern or Durazzo road, to Monastir, and the southern, or Avlona road, which is in the possession of the Italians, lying thirty-five miles between them. Its possession by the Austrians has been a constant menace to the Durazzo-Monastir way, although the Austrian force is not believed to be large.

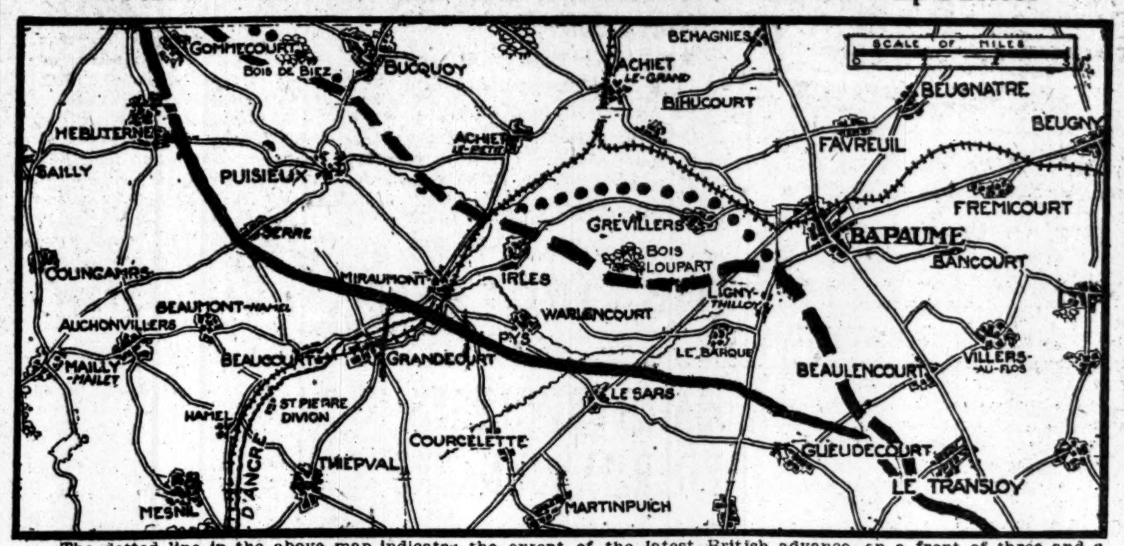
## PROMINENT AVIATOR KILLED.

### Hans Vollmoeller, Brother of Poet, Falls in Trial Flight.

BERLIN, March 13, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—Hans Vollmoeller, a prominent German aviator, has been killed by a fall in a trial flight.

Vollmoeller won several prizes in airplane contests and gained prominence in 1910 by constructing a new type of airplane. He was a brother of Dr. Karl Vollmoeller, the poet, several of whose plays have been produced in the United States.

## Where the Germans Have Retired West of Bapaume.



The dotted line in the above map indicates the extent of the latest British advance, on a front of three and a half miles just west of Bapaume, and on a front of about a mile northeast and east of Gommecourt. The Bapaume ridge positions have thus been turned at their southeasterly end. The solid line indicates the front from which the present advance began a few weeks ago.

# IMPORTANT MOVES ON ANCRE FORESEEN

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would surrender Loupart Wood without a greater struggle. It is a dominating position, which gave them observation over a wide stretch of country and seemed a point of defense which they could hold until driven out by direct or indirect attack. Obviously, however, the capture of Irles made this position untenable, and the concentration of gunfire, very terrible to watch even from the British side of the lines, decided the Germans to retreat before its garrison was annihilated. They are still holding on to Bucquoy and Achiet le Petit, at the northwestern end of the Essarts-Loupez Wood line, but further south they are actually behind the last defensive system of Bapaume ridge—that is to say, they are along the line of Longeast Wood, Achiet le Grand, and Biefvilliers.

That poor town of Bapaume, which the Germans have been blasting and piling up with wreckage of stores and trunks of fallen trees is no longer a far goal for the British troops. With luck, they shall be there soon, and afterward—why, afterward, the Germans may have a severe shock to their nerves. At present they seem to believe they have achieved complete mystification, so that the British are utterly bedeviled about their intentions and were groping about for some clue to explain them. It may surprise and hurt them to know that the British have a clear idea as to the Germans' future plans and are making their own accordingly. We are on the eve of important movements, and the Germans are not likely to avoid the pressure of them without severe damage, even if they escape something like disaster. That is all I can say at present.

I would like to pay here and now tribute to those young soldiers who are keeping so closely in touch with the Germans, bringing up machine guns and trench mortars and field batteries with fine speed and spirit close to their very heels, and pushing out with patrols through the night to feel the German strength or weakness. It is a dangerous game, not without strain upon the nerves of the men, but they play it as a game with high hearts and audacity, taking all risks lightly. To the men of the outposts and patrols this following up of the Germans is a hunter's sport, better than trench warfare or the grand attack, although the risks are not light. The Germans know they are hard on their track and that if they linger, as in Irles, they will be caught. It is only the beginning of their trouble, for besides patrols other men are coming up, not as laggards, and every hour the British pressure grows stronger against the crumbling German lines.

# *FRENCH HOLD LINES ON CHAMPAGNE HILL*

### *Repulse Strong German Attacks Against New Positions South of Ripont Village.*

PARIS, March 13.—In the last twenty-four hours the Germans made violent counterattacks against the new French positions on Hill 185, in Champagne. All attacks were repulsed, the War Office announces. There was also considerable activity in the district between the Avre and the Aisne.

The text of this afternoon's statement follows:

Between the Avre and the Aisne French detachments late yesterday made three surprise attacks on German trenches. They blew them up and took prisoners. The Germans bombarded Soissons during the night. On the Coury road a strong enemy detachment attempted to approach our lines. It was repulsed. Furthermore, another German attempt, in the region of Beaulne and of Chivy, was broken up by our fire. The artillery fighting was rather lively in the sector of Troyon.

West of Maisons de Champagne the Germans yesterday evening made a violent counterattack on Hill 185. Our curtain of fire and machine guns checked the attackers promptly. We maintained al our positions.

Elsewhere the night was calm, being marked only by artillery fighting. The number of prisoners taken by us yesterday reached 150, including three officers.

On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) a surprise attack undertaken by the enemy against our works in the region of Louvemont was repulsed easily by grenades.

The official communication issued tonight reads as follows:

In Champagne the enemy artillery, energetically countershelled by us, bombarded the sectors of Maisons de Champagne and Massiges. In the course of the day the Germans made unsuccesful attempts with grenades against Hill 185, which we continue to hold.

On the left bank of the Meuse the artillery of both sides were quite active. Our destructive fires appeared to have been effective, particurarly in the region of Avocourt, Hill 304, and on the right bank, north of Bezonvaux. There was intermittent cannonading on the rest of the front.

## RAIDS ON ITALIAN FRONT.

### Both Sides Report Local Successes by Infantry Detachment.

ROME, March 13.—Following is the official report issued by Army Headquarters today:

There was the usual artillery activity in the Trentino. The enemy showed increased artillery activity in the Tolmino Basin on the Julian front. On the Carso an infantry detachment raided the enemy lines southwest of Lucati and destroyed the hostile works. The dugouts were burned and twenty-four prisoners and one machine gun captured. An enemy counterattack failed.

## AMERICAN AIRMAN HONORED.

### Sergeant Major Lufbery Gets Cross of Legion of Honor.

PARIS, March 13.—The American aviator, Sergeant Major Raoul Lufbery, has been decorated with the Cross of the Legion of Honor. The announcement gives the following reasons:

"Enlisted under French flag for the duration of the war, has given proof as aviator of remarkable boldness, and has brought down up to Dec. 27, 1916, six enemy machines, has already been twice mentioned in army orders and decorated with the Military Medal."

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Sergeant Lufbery spent his early years in New Haven, Conn. His parents died when he was very young and he was adopted by a family at Bourges, France. At 13 he ran away and wandered all over the world, turning his hand to many trades. In Asia he met the aviator Marc Pourpe, who trained him as his assistant.

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After estimating every achievement in the brilliant and tragic life of the great Roman, the author insists that the supreme importance of his career to the modern world is embodied in "his intellectual leadership of the spiritual and ethical revolution which prepared the people of the Mediterranean basin for the advent of Christianity." What constitutes the supreme achievement of Cicero, in the author's view, far surpassing in historic importance his forensic triumphs and his democratic propaganda, was the fact that he was able, in the midst of a pagan environment, to arrive at the idea of monotheism, to grasp, as the author expresses it, "the magnificent notion of a single God as the source of natural law." Owing largely to Cicero, the new philosophy, "the earliest offspring of the religious consciousness of the East and the intellectual culture of the West," took sudden possession, as is here pointed out, of the higher classes of Rome, including the jurists.

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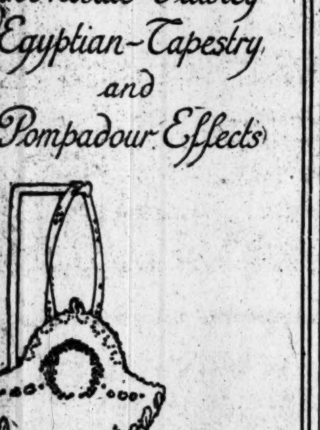

# WILSON AWAITS STRIKE CRISIS

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call to be issued is to embrace the railroads centring in Chicago, north and west of the Illinois Central, instead of the Eastern roads. From Chicago, if this first demonstration of their power fails to bring concessions from the roads, the brotherhood leaders intend to jump to the New York, New Haven & Hartford, calling out their men on this and allied New England lines. The next section to be affected will be the "Iron Range" district, centring in St. Louis. The strike thus would spread gradually, at intervals of a day, until practically the whole nation was tied up, finally including passenger as well as freight traffic.

No precise explanation could be obtained as to the exact strategy of the strike calls, but presumably Chicago is chosen first as being the most vital freight centre and the district from which the effects of a traffic paralysis would first be observed.

W. S. Stone, W. G. Lee, W. S. Carter, and L. E. Sheppard, heads of the four brotherhoods, conferred here today with the leaders of local organizations of roads of the South and Southeast. All of them when interviewed refused to admit that they were delivering an ultimatum to the roads. There is reason to suppose that they still hope to reach an amicable settlement, but only through thorough-going concessions from the railroads.

### International Effect Uppermost.

The effect which a country-wide strike would have on the international situation was the chief subject of discussion here today. Many officials were inclined to be deeply indignant at the brotherhoods for precipitating the struggle at this critical stage of the German crisis. Those close to the labor men contended that criticism of this kind was wholly unjust; that the last thing the brotherhoods wished to do was to embarrass the Government in its provisions for national defense. They feel that if any one is to be accused of being unpatriotic it should be the railroads. The roads, the labor sympathizers point out, are making profits out of the war and should be ready to make concessions.

The brotherhood leaders feel that they have given every possible demonstration of their loyalty and patriotism, both in their adherence yesterday to the statement of willingness to serve in time of war adopted by the Federation of Labor and in their pledges to refrain from hindering the passage of troop and munition trains. The White House today made public a letter written by the four chiefs from Cleveland on March 7, promising the President that they would support him in case of war. The letter read:

> Mr. President: We feel obligated to officially advise you of our intention to again meet the National Conference Committee of the Railways on March 15 for the purpose of making another effort to adjust the pending eight-hour controversy. We are very hopeful of working out a satisfactory adjustment with the railroads, but if, while we are negotiating, our country should become involved in war, we want to assure you, as Chief Executive of the nation, that we and the membership we represent can be relied upon to support you to the fullest extent and that yourself and the nation will have our hearty and full support. We are, with great respect,
>
> L. E. SHEPPARD, Acting President, Order of Railway Conductors.
> W. S. STONE, Grand Chief Engineer, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.
> W. G. LEE, President, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.
> W. S. CARTER, President, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen.

While there is no disposition on the part of officials to feel that the brotherhoods will fail to live up to this pledge, it was pointed out today that, no matter how careful the labor men might be to pass munition and troop trains, a general tie-up of freight and passenger traffic, with its attendant demoralization of industry in general, could not fail to have a most enervating and perhaps paralyzing effect on national defense measures.

### What the President Might Do.

What the President could or would do in case the strike were actually called is purely a matter of speculation. It was suggested in one quarter today that if Thursday's conference failed, Mr. Wilson might make a final attempt to obtain an agreement by persuasion by calling the two sides together and making a final appeal to them to wait until the Supreme Court had delivered its decision on the Adamson law. If this attempt did not succeed, it is believed in some quarters, the existing relations between the United States and Germany might give the President legal authority to use extraordinary measures to keep the trains running.

The President's views are not known, and no one can predict with authority what he would do. He was confined to his room all day and saw no visitors, although he did ask Secretary Wilson over the telephone to gather what information he could about the situation.

In one respect the problem is regarded as somewhat less serious than that of last Fall. This time the brotherhood heads plan a "progressive" strike, taking a few roads at a time and giving an opportunity for negotiations as the affected territory gradually increases. Whether the strike succeeds or fails this will leave open a wider opportunity for an early settlement by compromise than if, as last Fall, they had called an immediate general strike extending all over the country.

In spite of the indignation over the precipitating of this struggle in the midst of the international crisis, there is little disposition among some officials to contend that the brotherhoods would violate a definite agreement by calling a strike at this time. They did agree to call off the strike last Fall when the Adamson law was passed, but it is conceded that they made no promise to continue passive in case the Adamson law failed to work or for any reason did not go into effect when it was expected to.

The brotherhoods are laying particular stress on the rise in food prices, pointing out that other branches of labor have received increases in pay, while they, who were promised an increase last Fall, have been unable to get it. They admit, however, that if the Adamson law should now be declared constitutional they would have the benefit of the back pay which it would confer upon them.

One outcome seems certain, whether a strike is called or not—a strenuous attempt by the Administration to get through at the special session of Congress called for April 16 legislation similar to that proposed by the President last Fall supplementing the Adamson law. The proposed legislation would have enabled the President to keep the trains running in the present case, by proclaiming a state of "threatened war." It is commonly believed here that, now that the recurrent danger of transportation trouble has been demonstrated, there will be a general move in Congress to put through some form of legislation to deal with the situation.

## DEMAND PREMATURE, RAILROADS INSIST

### *Nothing Can Be Done Until Supreme Court Rules on Eight-Hour Act, Say Managers.*

When the heads of the four railroad brotherhoods face the members of the National Conference Committee of the railways across a big oak table, at the Grand Central Terminal tomorrow morning, with a demand for the eight-hour day and a threat that they will tie up the railroads of the United States if they don't get it immediately, they will be met with the statement that under no conditions will the railroads make a settlement until the Supreme Court hands down its decision on the constitutionality of the Adamson Eight-hour law.

There is the possibility that the brotherhoods will have a proposal to make which will appeal to the railroads, but the fact that, regardless of what agreement may be reached tomorrow, the Adamson act, if upheld, will be the law of the land, to be obeyed by railroads and trainmen alike, has led the railroad executives to the point where they say there is no possibility of a settlement at this time.

The railroad managers take the stand that it is not within the province of either the trainmen or the railroads, or both, to abrogate the law and that no agreement signed by the railroads and the engineers, firemen, conductors, and trainmen could dispose of the claims which the telegraphers, switchmen, and other railroad workers will make if the court upholds the Adamson law, which gives the eight-hour day to "all persons engaged in the operation of trains engaged in interstate commerce."

The managers assert that the brotherhoods have broken faith in issuing a series of strike calls, the first of which is effective Saturday, while the Supreme Court is considering the eight-hour law, and their common disposition is to let the unions precipitate the strike. Last August, both the railroads and the brotherhoods wanted a fight, each confident of ability to whip the other, but President Wilson obtained the enactment of the Adamson law. Now, the railroads count on their own power, the strength of public opinion, aand the probability of President Wilson's acting, to enable them to successfully resist the demands of the unions.

### Believe Many Would Keep at Work.

The present strike order is in the form of the order issued for the strike of Sept. 4, 1916, with the date changed to March 17, 1917. Railroad managers believe that if the strike is called motives of patriotism and self-interest will prevent many of the men from answering. It was recalled that last September many of the trainmen, varying from 5 per cent. on some roads to 40 per cent. on others, pledged themselves to remain at their posts. The railroads would be very glad to have the President declare that in case of a strike soldiers would be used to guard the trains, as was done by President Cleveland in the Chicago strike of twenty-odd years ago. They believe that the assurance that they will be protected in case of trouble will prevent many of the trainmen from striking.

Members of the Managers' Committee began to arrive in New York yesterday, and the committee will hold a meeting tonight preparatory to meeting the brotherhood heads tomorrow. While many of those here on the ground expressed the opinion that the strike would not materialize, they were very sure that it would not be prevented by any compromise on the part of the railroads. They fully expect President Wilson to take some action, but not until after Thursday's meeting.

"What the President will do the managers do not attempt to say. They all recalled that last August President Wilson told Congressional leaders that, while he wished Congress to pass a law giving him avowed power to recruit railroad executives and trainmen into national service in case of national peril, he believed he already had the power under the Constitution. The managers saw an analogy between the railroad situation and the armed ship situation. As the President, after failure to get the armed ship bill passed, authorized American merchantmen to arm, they believed that, although Congress did not give him the power to commandeer the services of railroad executives and trainmen, he would do it anyhow if he believed the crisis justified such action.

As for the executives, it can be stated authoritatively that if the President sees fit to swear the trainmen into Federal service and force them to continue the operation of the roads, the executives will go along with him.

### Expect Court Decision Monday.

There is a disposition on the part of the managers to believe that the Supreme Court will hand down its Adamson law decision next Monday. If the brotherhoods approach the railroads on that day, or if they postpone the Saturday night strike call until the decision is handed down, they will get an attentive ear from the managers. But if they insist on pressing the issue tomorrow there is every promise of a fight. One of the leading members of the Managers' Committee explained the situation last night in this way:

"The railroads promised the Government of the United States, through the Department of Justice, as did the brotherhoods, that they would take no further action until the Supreme Court had acted. The railroads will keep that promise. They are not going to be bulldozed or frightened by the brotherhoods. When the Adamson law decision is handed down, whichever way it goes, we will heed any proposition the unions have to make. But the railroads are bound not to make any settlement until we know about the validity of the Adamson law."

While expressing condemnation of the brotherhoods for forcing the issue at a time of national peril, railroad executives did not believe that they were called upon to make a surrender to preserve transportation peace. They trust to the President. They pointed out that a strike of even forty-eight hours at this time would be very serious to the national defense and would cause a further freight congestion which could not be remedied for weeks.

The railroads have been giving orders to employment agencies in many quarters to list men for them. It is known that at least one big Eastern road in the last week has made extensive preparations for a strike. The Pennsylvania last Fall made a canvass of its workers which showed a percentage of about 20 per cent. pledged to remain on their jobs. The railroads' best chance of getting engineers in case of a strike is from the shops, where many former locomotive cabmen work.

While the first plans of the brotherhood leaders called for the beginning of a transportation tieup by calling the men from the New York Central, Erie, Baltimore & Ohio, Seaboard Air Line, Atlantic Coast Line, Louisville & Nashville, and Southern Saturday night at 6 o'clock and the rest of the Eastern roads Monday night, if the railroads had not then given in, later plans may provide for a strike on some roads on Sunday night in order to make the strike pressure constant, instead of giving a forty-eight-hour lapse. The managers understand that the plans call for a complete tieup of all freight business on Eastern lines by Monday night, and on the Western roads by Tuesday night, and that, no settlement then having been made, the passenger men will be called out Wednesday night at 6 o'clock.

### Willard as Wilson's Aid.

One railroad executive said that it was by no means improbable that President Wilson would turn over the whole situation to Daniel Willard, President of the Baltimore & Ohio, who, as a member of the National Defense Council, has been working closely with the President for several weeks on matters of national defense. Mr. Willard was a member of the committee of five railroad Presidents which conducted the negotiations with President Wilson last August, and it has been recently said that in case of war President Wilson would make him a member of the Cabinet.

Mr. Willard, who came up from a locomotive fireman, has an intimate knowledge of a large part of the railroads of the United States. The railroad executive interviewed said he would not be surprised, if the strike was called, to see President Wilson make Mr. Willard head of a transportation department and give him power to draft the trainmen into Federal service and operate the railroads. This executive joined with others in saying he did not expect the President to act until after tomorrow morning's meeting.

At the Hotel Biltmore last night, Mr. Willard was asked if there had been any official consideration of the idea of his operating the railroads for the Government in case of a strike.

"Well, the President certainly has not asked me yet to do it," he replied.

Mr. Willard asked not to be quoted on the strike situation, saying the matter for the railroads was entirely in the hands of the Managers' Committee, of which Elisha Lee is Chairman. He intimated that he thought some way out would be found before Saturday night, and that it would be unfortunate for the brotherhoods, the railroads, and the public if there should be a strike at this critical time.

The four heads of the brotherhoods—Warren S. Stone, Grand Chief of the engineers; W. S. Carter, President of the firemen; W. G. Lee, head of the trainmen, and L. E. Shepperd, head of the conductors, will come to New York this morning to hold a meeting at the Broadway Central Hotel this afternoon with the local Chairmen of the Eastern roads' workers.

## HARTIGAN ASKS FOOD TRAINS.

### Says Serious Consequences Would Result from Strike Otherwise.

Commissioner of Weights and Measures Joseph Hartigan, Secretary of the Mayor's Food Committee, asked yesterday that the brotherhoods promise that, in the case of a railroad strike, they would provide men to run food trains.

"The threatened railroad strike," he said, "is of grave importance to the people of New York City. The railroads mentioned for a strike Saturday are the biggest transporters of food to New York City. This is the season for the shipment of fresh vegetables from the South and Southwest. The lines from the West carrying flour, meats, and other staple commodities, if tied up through this threatened strike, would leave New York City in a bad way. The city, with its population of nearly six million people, permanent and transient, is dependent for its food supplies from all sources.

"The available visible supply of foodstuffs, perishable and nonperishable, in and near New York City, is estimated to be sufficient for a period of only six weeks. If the railroad men are serious in their intentions to start a strike on March 17, it would be a humane act on their part to make provision now with the railroads for the free passage of food supply trains destined to cities. These trains could bear the signs 'Food Supply Trains,' so as to prevent interference by strikers or their sympathizers. Food and fuel are the very life blood of a city like New York."

State Commissioner of Food and Markets John J. Dillon regarded the strike danger as very serious.

Most of the Eastern railroads are suffering from a serious freight congestion at this time and a strike of even twenty-four hours would make the tangle much more serious to straighten out.

The coal shortage in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and other Eastern cities has been serious for four weeks, and many of the large public service utilities have on an average of only three days' supply. The tieup of the Eastern roads would also cut off most of the coal supply of Chicago and St. Louis.

## MEN GET STRIKE ORDERS.

### Violence Forbidden by National Officers in Case of a Tieup.

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—Members of the railroad brotherhoods in the Pittsburgh district are said to have received today the formal order to strike on March 17, "unless otherwise notified." The circular also officially instructs them as to their conduct during the strike.

All men on strike are ordered keep away from railroad property, "except such men as are designated certain duties to be performed by authority of the organizations. Every man should understand that the laws of the land must be obeyed. Acts of violence of any nature will not be tolerated."

BOSTON, March 13.—Orders to prepare at once for a strike of employes on New England railroads at midnight of Monday, March 19, or early Tuesday morning, were received by local leaders of the four brotherhoods today.

ST. LOUIS, March 13.—Representatives of the four brotherhoods on the Southwestern railways centring in St. Louis held a four-hour conference here today with national officers of the brotherhoods, and at the end of the conference refused to give out any information as to what had been discussed.

## STRIKING ACTORS ARRESTED

### Two Charged with Breaking Up One of Loew's Shows.

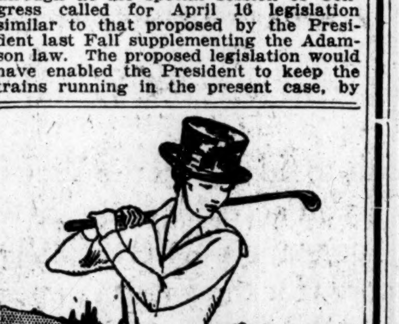
Two vaudeville actors, said to be members of the White Rats Actors' Union, which has declared a strike against the Loew circuit, caused excitement in Loew's Greeley Square Theatre last night by greeting the opening act, a song and dance cowboy feature, with cries of "scab," "ham actor," "get the hook," and a shower of eggs. Policeman Donaldson, on duty at the theatre since the announcement of the strike, sent in a call for the reserves of the West Thirtieth Street Station. These arrested the disturbers and quieted the audience, some of whom stormed the box office, demanding their money back.

When the show commenced a man who later gave his name in the West Thirtieth Street Station as Herbert Jelly of the St. Francis Hotel, in West Forty-seventh Street, stood up in the middle aisle and commenced a tirade against the actors. While the rope-spinning performance continued Arthur Jennings, an actor of 182 Claremont Avenue, who was seated in another part of the theatre, took up the cry of "Scab!" which spread through the house. Mark Levy, a part owner of the Loew circuit, and John J. Louer, assistant manager of the theatre, told Donaldson to arrest the men for disorderly conduct, but before they could reach them the crowd rushed for exits as eggs were thrown from the gallery.

In the confusion, Levy and Louer ordered three other men arrested, but they were released at the station when the complainants withdrew the charge because of lack of evidence. Jennings and Jelly were represented in Night Court before Magistrate Wylie by former Assistant Attorney Murray Spiess, who is counsel for the White Rats. Jennings was charged with intoxication and Jelly with disorderly conduct. Both were held for a hearing today in Jefferson Market Court.

### Pennsylvania Stockholders Approve.

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—The stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad at their annual meeting here today gave unanimous approval of the stand of the management of the road in demanding that differences between the railroad and its employes be settled by arbitration and condemned the calling of a strike at this time.



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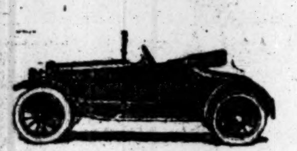

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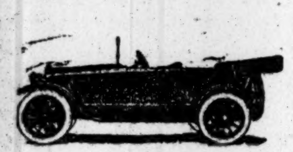

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# ANDERSON INVITES SLUSH FUND INQUIRY

## Challenges Legislators to Call on Him to Explain His Reward Offers.

## "STANDS PAT," HE ASSERTS

### Democrats Would Force Anti-Saloon Man to Prove His Statements, but Republicans Hold Back.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, March 13.—The charge made by Superintendent William H. Anderson of the Anti-Saloon League that a big "slush fund" had been raised by the liquor interests to defeat local option and other anti-liquor legislation kept the collective mind of the Legislature in a state of agitation today. Up to a late hour tonight, however, no official action had been taken by either the Senate or Assembly to call Superintendent Anderson to account for the statement which was sent by him to 300 newspapers throughout the State.

Mr. Anderson, talking to a correspondent for THE NEW YORK TIMES tonight, challenged the lawmakers to call upon him for an explanation.

"I stand pat on every word contained in my statement," Mr. Anderson said. "I am quite willing to answer for what I said. I shall remain here until Thursday, and they won't have to subpoena me to get me to appear. A simple invitation will bring me."

Mr. Anderson in his statement said he had $10,000 to offer in $1,000 rewards for information leading to the conviction of any person or persons guilty of bribe giving or bribe taking in connection with any of the anti-liquor legislation now pending before the Legislature. He added that according to persistent reports a big slush fund had been collected and deposited in a bank outside the State, where it could not be traced, and that this fund would be taken to Albany to be deposited in a safe deposit vault until after the Legislature had adjourned, when it was to be distributed in a certain hotel here. Mr. Anderson tonight, while declaring that he had nothing to retract, would not elaborate on what he said in his statement.

The situation here tonight seems to be this: The Democratic members of both houses are more than willing, even eager, that Superintendent Anderson should be haled before the Senate and be compelled either to prove or retract his statement. The Republicans apparently are not quite so anxious to press the matter.

Senator J. Henry Walters of Syracuse, Chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, which under the Senate rules would have to frame a line of procedure to be followed in a matter of this kind, said this evening that he was utterly opposed to "dignifying" Superintendent Anderson by taking any cognizance of his statement.

The situation in the Legislature in relation to the Anderson charges underwent many fluctuations during the day. Robert F. Wagner, minority leader of the Senate, besieged Senator Elon R. Brown, leader of the Republican majority, with requests that something be done to dispel the impression created throughout the State by the Anderson statement, but to no purpose.

Joseph M. Callahan, minority leader of the Assembly, was in conference with Speaker Thaddeus C. Sweet, from whom he earnestly demanded that some action be taken. He was told that the Senate Judiciary Committee would take the matter up at a meeting this afternoon. The Senate Judiciary Committee remained in secret session most of the afternoon. After it had adjourned it was learned that nothing had been done in reference to the Anderson statement.

Senator Brown, temporary President of the Senate, was asked tonight what his attitude was with regard to the Anderson statement.

"I have not read his statement," said the Senate leader. "I see no reason why I should let anything Mr. Anderson might say divert me from the serious duties I am performing here."

"Does that mean that there will be no investigation of the Anderson charges?" Senator Brown was asked.

"I did not say that," was his reply. "While I do not at present intend to take the initiative, and personally feel that it might be a mistake to dignify Mr. Anderson to that extent, I am not sure that I would oppose action if other Senators feel differently upon the subject."

Senator Ogden L. Mills more than intimated tonight that he would have some pertinent questions to ask Mr. Anderson when he appears before the Senate Committee on Taxation and Retrenchment tomorrow at the public hearing on the Carson-McNab Statewide Prohibition Referendum bill, which was introduced on behalf of the Anti-Saloon League.

"Personally," Senator Mills said, "I feel that silence and nonaction, in the face of Anderson's statement, is apt to bring the Legislature into disrepute with the people in this State. However, Mr. Anderson is scheduled to appear before a Senate committee tomorrow afternoon. If he spends a comfortable afternoon it will not be my fault."

By a party vote, the Assembly Committee on Excise, at a meeting this afternoon decided to report favorably the Hill-Wheeler local option bill for cities. Assemblymen McCue and McDonald of New York, and McKeon of Kings, all Democrats, voted in the negative.

The rival bill proposed by the Senate Committee on Taxation and Retrenchment, providing for an increase in liquor revenues and a reduction in the number of saloons, will, it is expected, come up for final passage in the Senate not later than Wednesday of next week. If the sponsors of the local option bill can array their full strength against that measure, the fight will be closely contested. After a canvass of the Senate today, Senator Hill announced that he had enough votes to insure the passage of the bill in the Senate.

The sponsors of the higher license measure, it was learned today, may resort to a coup to check the sentiment in favor of local option up-State. One of the objections to local option is that it makes for instability in the fiscal policy of the State, any estimate of the State revenues from the liquor traffic being impossible if local option is extended to cities. To meet this situation, it was hinted tonight, legislation might be introduced giving to communities all the excise revenues locally collected, substituting a direct tax for the State's half of the revenues now collected from that source. Last year this was approximately $12,000,000.

## HUGHES TO ARGUE FOR STAY

### Expected to Appear Before Justice Cropsey in West Side Case.

Charles E. Hughes probably will make the argument today for the vacation of the order for an investigation of the New York Central's west side plan issued by Justice James C. Cropsey in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn. It will, if the arrangements go through, be Mr. Hughes's first appearance in court as the city's special counsel on the proposed changes. Two applications for a permanent stay of the investigation are pending, and will be argued at 1 o'clock in the afternoon in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn.

One application was filed in behalf of Mayor Mitchel on last Thursday after he and other officials had been summoned.

In the event of a decision adverse to the city's representatives, the investigation by Justice Cropsey will start in his court on next Saturday.

In the meantime the sub-committee of the Public Service Commission and the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities will continue to re-examine the land values and other rights involved. Members of the two organizations held a long conference in the Controller's office yesterday, but the proceedings were not made public. One of the Public Service Commissioners said two or three more meetings would be held before the report requested by Governor Whitman would be forwarded to Albany, probably at the end of the week.

### Levy a Candidate for Conry's Place.

Jefferson M. Levy, for many years a representative in Congress from New York, came out yesterday as a candidate in the Fifteenth Congressional District to succeed Michael F. Conry, who died recently. Mr. Levy is considered a stanch supporter of President Wilson.

# PLAN FOR STANDARD SHIPS OF 3,600 TONS

## The Shipping Board Decides Parts Can Be Cut All Over the Country.

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### Wooden Construction Necessary Because Enough Steel Workers Are Not Now Available.

The plan of the Federal Shipping Board for the standardization of wooden ship construction on a large scale to provide carriers of about 3,600 tons in the event of war was told in detail yesterday by William Denman, Chairman of the board. He was at the Biltmore all day, holding conferences with shipping men, and left at midnight for Washington, where there will be a meeting of shipping experts today to perfect the details of the plan.

Mr. Denman said that the standardization plan is one of the two chief measures the shipping board is putting forward to prepare for war. The other is the passage of the amendment to the shipping bill, which was held up by the Senate filibuster and which will be taken up at the extra session of Congress. This amendment provides for the commandeering of ships owned by American corporations of which foreigners own all the stock. There were ships of 750,000 total tonnage which might be commandeered under the provisions of the bill, Mr. Denman said.

A still greater problem, however, was to build many more ships, and the first difficulty that arose was the inability to get steel workers away from more needful tasks, including naval construction.

"The supply of skilled steel workers is limited," Mr. Denman said, "and when it became apparent that the building of merchant ships would be delayed on that account, the board started work on its plan of standardizing wooden construction. We have been at work about three weeks on the plan. There are wooden vessels on the Pacific Coast constructed to carry 3,600 tons deadweight. The parts of such ships will be standardized so as to allow them to be cut at various mills in the timber regions, either on the Pacific Coast, the South, or the New England coast. These parts, cut at many mills, will be sent to yards at different points, where they may be assembled.

With the growth of steel ship construction the supply of ship carpenters has been growing smaller constantly, and that is one of the difficulties which we face in the construction of wooden ships. We have planned, however, to get the services of house carpenters, with a skilled ship's carpenter over every seven or eight of them. These ships may be turned out at the rate of one every four months at first, and at a much greater rate when the plan is put into full operation.

"If we get into war, the navy would take for merchant carriers a very large tonnage of ships now in ordinary commerce for the purpose of carrying coal, naval supplies and as a reserve against losses of such supply ships. The public may look for a great disruption of the mercantile carrier force as soon as hostilities commence."

Mr. Denman said that the proposed Shipping bill would undoubtedly be passed by the extra session. Under it any ship being built by an American corporation of which foreigners own all the stock must either be put under the American flag and be subject to commandeering in case of war, or else the corporation building it must tender it for sale to the Government.

"As the law now stands," he added, "under many of our yard contracts the ships when launched could sail away without rendering any service to the United States in return for our yard facilities. The Shipping Board regards the emergency as a war emergency, although created by a contest not actually within our boundaries. The disruption of our commerce, due to the loss of the coast to coast fleet, now engaged in carying supplies abroad, and the consequent disturbance of the flow of food supplies into our larger cities has created a real emergency for many of our poorer citizens.

"Some of the vessels now on the stocks, if brought under our flag, would undoubtedly relieve the condition. When the legislation is enacted, the foreign-owned vessels in our yards, carefully estimated at 750,000 tons, will pursue the private interests of their owners until necessity requires their commandeering."

The Shipping Board is devoting all its time to preparedness problems, Mr. Denman said. In perfecting the wooden ship plan, he said, one of the objects of the board was to arrange to build ships which would be useful after the war for ordinary commercial purposes.

### Hughes Alliance Still Active.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the New York City Committee of the Women's Branch of the Hughes Alliance, which did not disband after the election, held at the Cosmopolitan Club yesterday afternoon, it was decided to call a meeting of the entire committee to discuss taking measures for preparedness in the present national crisis. The meeting is to be held in the Hotel Astor next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

### Welcome Troop from Border Today.

Troop F, First Cavalry, Staten Island's only militia organization, is expected to reach home about 2 o'clock this afternoon. The troop will be escorted to the Borough Hall, where it will be welcomed by Borough President Calvin D. Van Name, and will receive a large flag on behalf of the Staten Island Flag Day Association.

## CZERNIN MAY BE PREMIER.

### Expected to Replace Clam-Martinic as Head of Austrian Cabinet.

AMSTERDAM, Wednesday March 14, (via London.)—A Vienna dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung says it is reported in political circles that an Austrian Cabinet crisis is imminent.

It is declared as certain that Count Henry Clam-Martinic, the Premier, will resign, and will probably be replaced by Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Minister of Foreign Affairs. It is also reported that Count Tisza, the Hungarian Premier, will succeed Count Czernin.

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### Meeting Discloses That Commissioner Dillon Is No Longer Connected with Dairymen's League.

The price of milk for the next six months was discussed for six hours and a half yesterday afternoon and evening by representatives of the farmers who sell milk to the New York distributers and of the distributers who resell it to the public. The meeting was at 2 Rector Street in the offices of the New York State Milk Dealers' Conference Board, to which the distributers belong, and the farmers' representatives present were officers and directors of the Dairymen's League, the organization which fought the producers last Fall and obtained from them an increase in the wholesale price of milk which was later reflected in a rise of 1 cent a quart, and in some instances more, to the consumer.

As one result of the conference it became known that John J. Dillon, State Commissioner of Foods and Markets, who, as commander in chief of the forces of the Dairymen's League, won the victory over the distributing companies last Fall, is no longer identified with the league. His counsel was not asked or heard by the farmers in making up their new schedule of prices.

After the conference last evening it was said by I. Elkin Nathans, Secretary of the Conference Board, who spoke for both farmers and distributers, that no agreement had been reached and that the question of whether the distributers would meet the new schedule of prices demanded by the Dairymen's League must remain with the individual distributing companies. In no event, he said, could an organization of distributers decide whether the price to the public would be raised, as that would constitute a violation of the State anti-trust law.

Discussion among men familiar with the milk business which followed the conference indicated a general impression that if the new schedule of the farmers was met by the distributers the price of milk to the consumers would be forced up 1 or 2 cents a quart, and it was said that, as an average of some 2,500,000 quarts of milk were consumed in the city in a day, every cent added to the retail price of milk would mean an increase of $25,000 a day or $9,125,000 a year in the public's milk bill.

One man familiar with the milk business suggested that the distributing companies might avoid advancing the price to the consumer by combining in one monopolistic corporation which could reduce the cost of milk distribution in the city. It could not be learned whether any definite move in this direction had been made, but John J. Dillon, State Commissioner of Foods and Markets, when asked if he knew anything about such a plan, said that the Wicks bill, which is now before the Legislature in Albany, "was designed particularly to accomplish the purpose of consolidating all of the milk distributers of the city."

The situation was summed up by a milk expert, who said:

"If the distributers have to pay the farmers' new prices, they must raise the price to the consumers, combine, or do something to cut down their expenses—or else go out of business."

Commissioner Dillon implied that he was opposed to any combination of distributers, and he has frequently stated his opposition to the Wicks bill. Discussing the situation as it stands, he repeated his former assertion that, if the State would empower him to erect a pasteurizing plant for the city, he could pay the prices demanded by the farmers and deliver pasteurized bottled milk "at family doors for 8 cents a quart." He said that he would deliver through grocery and delicatessen stores. The present average retail price of milk is 11 cents a quart.

Two carloads of Pacific Coast smelts, or 80,000 pounds, arrived in the city yesterday, consigned to the Mayor's Food Supply Committee, and were received by dealers as eagerly as the earlier shipments had been. Other shipments totaling 105,000 pounds are expected today and tomorrow, and a large supply of the fish will be received next week. After that the committee will not be able to obtain any more, as the smelts will have stopped running in the Pacific waters.

### An Acknowledgment.

THE NEW YORK TIMES acknowledges the receipt of $50 from Mrs. Gerard Fountain to be applied to the French Tuberculosis War Victims' Fund, and $1 from E. S. W. H. to be used for the After Care of Infantile Paralysis Victims.

# TANZER GIRLS ON STAND.

### One "Muddled in Dates" and the Other "Too Historical" to Remember

Rae Tanzer's sisters, Dora and Rose, were called to the witness stand in her defense yesterday in her second trial on a perjury charge in the Federal District Court. The sisters said it was James W. Osborne, the lawyer, who visited Rae at their home, but neither would give exact dates, Dora saying that she had been "muddled in dates" ever since the series of trials growing out of Rae's $50,000 breach of promise suit against Mr. Osborne began. The other sister declared that she was "too historical" to remember the dates. Judge Van Fleet smilingly told her that "historical" had a certain bearing on dates as a rule, and the defendant's counsel volunteered that the witness meant "hysterical."

Several character witnesses were produced by the defense. They said that Miss Tanzer was honest, upright, truthful, and hard working. The Tanzer sisters objected to giving their present address when asked for it for the court records. They said that they had been constantly on the move since the cases began, the publication of their addresses and the notoriety of the cases making each new residence unpleasant. Other witnesses who had been called in defense at the previous trials were called and repeated their testimony. The case will continue this morning, when, it is expected, Rae Tanzer will take the stand.

# BOXMAKERS FIGHT GRAFT.

### Association Hires Detectives to Catch Dishonest Manufacturers.

The Board of Directors of the Paper Box Credit Protective Association voted yesterday to employ a detective agency to run down the dishonest manufacturers and clerks. The evidence discovered by the detectives, it was said, would be turned over to the District Attorney's office.

Samuel L. Wallerstein, counsel for the association, said that, since circulars had been issued warning the consumers of paper boxes against the existing evil, two manufacturers who were in collusion with clerks employed by customers have had a narrow escape from going to jail. Mr. Wallerstein refused to give the names of these manufacturers, but said they had made restitution of large sums of money when confronted with evidence of their misconduct.

"The methods practiced by these manufacturers," said Mr. Wallerstein, "were the most bare-faced that have yet come to our knowledge. The receiving clerks of the consumers would call at the offices of these manufacturers, sign receipts, and receive bills for boxes that were never delivered. Of course the receiving clerks got their share for thus assisting such manufacturers."

The association is now considering a proposal to send out another circular to consumers, suggesting that shipping clerks be relieved from having anything to do with the ordering of boxes.

# HELL GATE SERVICE APRIL 1.

### Through Trains from Washington to Boston Will Be Started Then.

According to an announcement made by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company yesterday the Hell Gate Bridge route will be opened on April 1. The New York Connecting Railroad, as the route to New England by way of this city is known, was dedicated last Friday.

Through passenger service at the opening will be confined to the operation of the "Federal Express" between Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Boston. This train will leave Washington daily at 7 P. M. and arrive at Boston about 7:10 A. M. Returning it will leave Boston at 7 P. M. and arrive at Washington about 7:10 A. M. Beginning about June 1 it is the expectation to restore to service the "Colonial Express," the through day train between Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Boston.

### 410,000 Names in Telephone Book.

The Spring edition of the New York City telephone directory was issued yesterday. It contains 410,000 names of subscribers on 948 pages, and will have a circulation of 712,000 copies. A new central—Bowling Green—will serve the users of 1,500 telephones in the area bounded by Broadway, Morris Street, Greenwich Street, and Battery Place. In addition to the books for this city, the telephone company is distributing new directories for its subscribers in northern New Jersey, Long Island, Rockland, and Putnam Counties, N. Y., and a small section of Connecticut.

# FIND THAW INSANE; TO GO TO ASYLUM

## Philadelphia Court Accepts a Lunacy Verdict and Names Committee of His Estate.

## TO DISMISS POLICE GUARD

### District Attorney Swann Asks Whitman's Aid in Continuing the Fight for Extradition.

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Harry K. Thaw was today adjudged a lunatic by the Common Pleas Court of this city and under the law cannot be taken to New York on requisition to stand trial on charges of assaulting Frederick Gump, Jr., a high school student of Kansas City, Mo. Thaw will be kept in St. Mary's Hospital here pending his removal to a Pennsylvania asylum.

The court's action was based on the report presented today by a lunacy commission which yesterday took the testimony of Thaw and his mother.

Judge Martin appointed J. Denniston Lyon, a Pittsburgh banker, and Dr. Walter Riddle, the Thaw family physician in Pittsburgh, as a committee to take charge of Thaw's estate. They will give $600,000 security. Thaw's present income, according to his counsel, is from $75,000 to $80,000 a year from two trust funds left by his father, William Thaw.

No appeal from the court's decision today, according to Thaw's attorney, can be carried to the Supreme Court. Immediately after the announcement of Judge Martin's decision. Thaw's counsel in a telegram notified Governor Brumbaugh of the action taken.

By the court's decree the police guard at Thaw's bedside at the hospital will be withdrawn and a private guard substituted. The decree orders that Thaw stand committed to the hospital for the time being pending his removal to another institution. In another decree Judge Martin appointed Thaw's mother custodian of his person.

It was learned today that Mrs. Carnegie, Thaw's sister, and Josiah Thaw, his brother, both were among the witnesses who testified in the lunacy proceedings.

Physicians testified before the Lunacy Commission that Thaw was suffering from dementia and would get worse as time went on. The commission heard testimony reviewing his life from the time he was 21 until his recent attempt at suicide.

In announcing the conclusion of the Lunacy Commission, James Gay Gordon, counsel for Mrs. Thaw, on whose behalf the lunacy proceedings were begun, made this formal statement:

"Thaw is now in the custody of the sovereignty of the State of Pennsylvania represented by its Court of Chancery, and under the control and protection of the court and laws of the Commonwealth. This necessarily settles the question of his extradition and rings down the curtain on that proceeding. Mrs. Thaw and her family all desire if possible that the matter may be dropped for public exploitation. Thaw is now safe from harm to himself or others, and the court will hold control and guard him. Anything with respect to him hereafter can only be done with the sanction of the court."

HARRISBURG, Penn., March 13.—Governor Brumbaugh's office tonight announced that the Governor would await the record of the lunacy proceedings in Thaw's case before taking any action on the extradition petition. The Governor discussed the matter with Attorney General Brown during the day.

District Attorney Swann wrote last night to Governor Brumbaugh renewing his request for a hearing on the question of the extradition of Thaw. In his letter he said that he would prove by a recent decision of the United States Supreme Court that lunacy in a surrendering State was no defense to application for extradition by the demanding State.

"You may be sure I will not let this matter drop," Mr. Swann said. "If possible I shall fight the case through to the Supreme Court."

Mr. Swann also communicated with Governor Whitman, seeking the aid of the latter and the Attorney General in procuring the return of Thaw to stand trial in this city.

# TSCHIRKY TO SEE GRANDSON

### Court Upholds Writ Ordering Child to His Home Every Sunday.

By a unanimous decision of the Court of Appeals handed down yesterday, Leopold Tschirky, Jr., 2-year-old grandson of Oscar Tschirky of the Waldorf, shall be brought to his grandfather's house at 113 Lexington Avenue every Sunday, and the writ of habeas corpus which Oscar's son, Leopold, father of the boy, obtained ten months ago is affirmed.

Leopold Tschirky, who is employed by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, and his wife, who was Miss Florence Gerken, separated more than a year ago, and Mrs. Tschirky took Leopold, Jr., away from their home in Bethlehem. On the plea of the boy's father and his grandparents a writ of habeas corpus was issued by Judge Callahan in Brooklyn in May, 1916, and later an order requiring that the child be brought to Oscar's house every Sunday was signed. The mother appealed, and the Appellate Division affirmed the writ some months ago.

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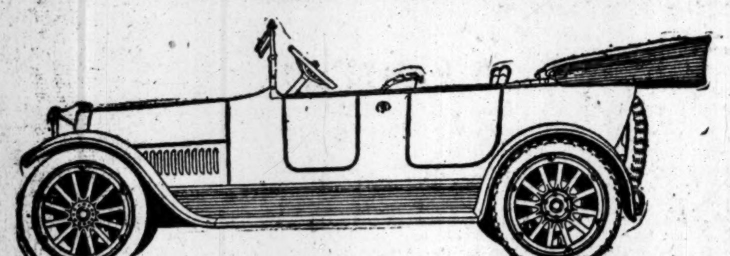

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## IMPOSSIBLE.

The conception of a general or widespread railroad strike at this time never took shape in any well-ordered mind, the threat of it never issued from a Brotherhood council in which wisdom had a voice, the order to strike will have neither sanction nor obedience from those members of the Brotherhoods who are loyal Americans. The assurance given to the President that he can rely upon the membership of the Brotherhoods to support him and the nation to the fullest extent, that trains will be moved to transport soldiers and military supplies, is worthless and void of meaning, it will not protect the men responsible for the strike threat from unsparing condemnation as unpatriotic Americans. Of what avail to transport troops and munitions if whole communities are to be cut off from supplies of food and fuel, if all the industries of the country are to be paralyzed?

The worst enemy of organized labor could not wish it to suffer a deeper hurt than it would inflict upon itself by a railroad strike at a time when the Government is marshaling the forces of the nation against the contingency of war. One hundred million people will not submit to be throttled by four hundred thousand. The four hundred thousand members of the Brotherhoods will not attempt it. They are not madmen. The vast majority of the members can have no sympathy with an act so unpatriotic, so anti-patriotic. The execution of the threat, the success of the attempt, would be a calamity for labor. The public indignation, the sense of common prudence among the people would compel the enactment of laws making forever impossible the repetition of such a crime against the country's safety.

Through political influence, by open intimidation, under the duress of a threatened strike, Congress was made to pass the Adamson law for an increase of wages. That exploit cannot be repeated. An aroused public opinion compelled the Senate to change its obstructive rules, the same force will make Congress obedient to the people's will whenever another attempt is made hastily to enact class legislation. The Supreme Court will not be influenced by the railroad strike. That body is above and beyond political influence. Corporations do not show such gross disrespect for the courts as is shown by this threat. They are content to await the court's action. The Brotherhoods can have no foreknowledge of the court's decision in the case of the Adamson law; if it is declared to be constitutional they will have the benefit of it. If it is declared to be unconstitutional they have no right to its benefits.

If the members of the Brotherhoods are justly entitled to an increase of wages they must secure them by lawful means, not by attempt to override both Congress and the Supreme Court, certainly not by adding immeasurably to the present public danger through the ordering of a strike by the men who operate trains. Even in the absence of known evidence the suspicion of an alien and hostile influence is engendered in innumerable minds. The threat of a railroad strike at this moment is an assault upon the Government and upon American institutions so monstrous that it is not conceivable that men who feel and think as all genuine Americans now do feel and think could in any way be concerned in it.

## LIQUOR TAX REVENUE.

The Senate Committee on Taxation and Retrenchment recommends the passage of the Brown bill, which so amends the Raines liquor law as to increase the liquor tax revenue by $4,000,000 or more, it is estimated, and to diminish the number of saloons.

Without prejudice to prohibition, to the demonstrations of the Anti-Saloon League, to the Hill-Wheeler bill extending local option to cities, or to Governor WHITMAN's zeal for that measure, it is well to keep in mind that city, State, and national expenditure and taxation, swollen already, are going to be mightily, perhaps enormously and continuously, increased. Last year the State's part in liquor tax receipts amounted to $12,807,371; the municipalities got some $6,199,269; and in addition they escaped that $12,807,371 of taxation. In the same year this city got over $5,250,000 from the excise tax, and by reason of the State's share in the liquor tax money the direct tax levied on the city was reduced nearly $8,500,000.

Since 1896, the committee tells us, the State has collected liquor taxes of $323,500,000, of which $152,500,000 has gone to the State, $169,400,000 to the municipalities. The liquor traffic should be taxed "all it will bear."

## "UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENTS."

In announcing to our Government the establishment of the original War Zone in the waters surrounding Great Britain and Ireland, the German Minister of Foreign Affairs on Feb. 16, 1915, declared that "neutral ships entering the closed waters in spite of "this announcement * * * bear their "own responsibility for any unfortunate accidents."

Our Government has announced that merchant ships of the United States carrying goods or passengers through the War Zone established on Feb. 1 will carry guns for defense against submarine attacks. The gunners will be men of the United States Navy. They have their instructions. In view of the announcement of the German Government and of the orders of the German Admiralty, submarines approaching our ships will be considered to be intending an attack, and will be treated accordingly. A German submarine in the distance, that neither by approach nor any other manoeuvre exposes itself to the suspicion of an attempt to attack, will, of course, not be fired upon. But German submarines are dangerous neighbors. Their behavior, even without hostile intention, may expose them to suspicion, and they must "bear their "own responsibility for any unfortunate accidents."

## FOR A CITIZENRY TRAINED.

It is said in Washington that if we become involved in the European war, Congress, in the extra session, will pass a bill for universal military training; but such a bill should be passed without waiting for war. The measure can be put in operation more easily while the country is still at peace. Provision for the future protection of the United States would inevitably become a secondary issue if the whole force of the War Department and the Regular Army were burdened with other work of immediate importance. Of course, it is to be hoped that the General Staff's bill, after such revision as seems necessary, will be passed in the extra session, no matter what happens. A larger number of reserve officers would be required if we had a war on our hands, so that the training of young men could proceed, but that could be managed once the system of military training for all became an established fact.

There is no doubt that strong sentiment in favor of universal training and service has developed in most of the States, if not in all. An incomplete list of newspapers which warmly advocate the adoption of the system on their editorial pages numbers 172 in 34 States. The opponents of training of citizens have the support of only 27 newspapers in 13 States, and that list could scarcely be extended. Some of the editorial advocates of the really democratic plan of national defense took up the subject long before the present crisis developed. The Spokesman - Review of Spokane, Washington, began its campaign for the adoption here of the Swiss system, or some suitable equivalent, nearly two years ago, and its logical and well-informed articles on the subject have been quoted and widely circulated in the Northwest. Other influential newspapers in that part of the country committed to the policy of universal liability for national defense are The Portland Oregonian, The Post-Intelligencer of Seattle, and The Tacoma Ledger. In the South universal training has the enthusiastic support of The San Antonio Express and The Light of the same city, The Houston Post, The New Orleans Times-Picayune, The Montgomery Advertiser, The Vicksburg Herald, The Charleston News and Courier, and The Richmond Times-Dispatch. This is not a full list of Southern papers, but it is representative, it is enough to show that the South is generally alive to the demands of the hour. In Minnesota and Michigan the newspapers of influence believe that every citizen should be fully prepared to do his duty. In Iowa, accounted a breeding place of pacifists, out of 39 daily newspapers 32 are for universal training and only three openly against it.

In fact, there are very few newspapers anywhere in the West openly antagonistic to the formation of a permanent reserve of trained citizens. The San Francisco Chronicle and The Duluth Herald are noteworthy exceptions to the rule. All the Chicago papers are on the right side. In Missouri The Star and The Times of Kansas City have been making a brave fight for the good cause, and the opposition in the Middle West and New England States is practically negligible. To be sure, it is not to be supposed that all the readers of these journals are yet thoroughly enlightened. But they are in the way of being educated. Within less than a year compulsory military training, from being a subject to be avoided except in military circles, has become a leading topic and has gained millions of supporters. A great deal of water has flowed under the bridges since President WILSON first used the phrase "a citizenry trained."

## CARRIED BY RIVALS' SHIPS.

In order that our trade with countries on the other side of the Pacific may be increased, the Department of Commerce has employed Mr. PAUL PAGE WHITHAM of Seattle, a consulting engineer, to make an investigation. He will sail from Vancouver on April 12, and for at least a year will be gathering information that can be used to the advantage of our exporting manufacturers. Of course he has in mind the lack of ocean freight carriers bearing the American flag. In a published interview he says:

> The United States is very backward in shipping on the Pacific. Of the vast amount of foreign trade in Seattle during last year, hardly a ton was shipped on an American liner. Our country may be compared to a department store that has to depend on the equipment of a rival store for the delivery of its goods. I hope that this investigation will result in opening the way for the United States to compete with Japan and other nations in the extensive Pacific trade.

It will not have this effect unless it causes amendment of our laws. "It is imperative," said Mr. BALDWIN, President of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, a few days ago, "that we "find means of transporting our goods "in our own vessels, and not in vessels owned and operated by our competitors." But the cost of operating American ships is made so high by law that owners find it unprofitable to compete on the Pacific with the ships of Japan. It was partly on account of the difference in necessary expenses of operation that 109 American ships were sold and transferred to other flags in the seven months preceding the recent order by which President WILSON forbade such sales. There is nothing more important in the work which the new Shipping Board is required to do than the investigation as to the relative advantages of operation under the American flag and under the flags of other nations. Undoubtedly it will lead the board to propose changes in the La Follette Seamen's act.

## RUTHLESS WAR AND OUR TRADE.

In February exports from New York decreased just a little short of $80,000,000. As the experience should be similar at other ports, it follows that the loss in our national trade is at the rate of over a billion a year. The President is following the situation so closely that there can be little doubt that these facts were known to him. There is a strong suggestion that his order to arm the cargo carriers was the result of his opinion that it is necessary to maintain our trade.

The U-boat war is felt not alone at New York. The effect of the fact that one hundred fewer vessels cleared from New York last month is felt across the continent. If those vessels had taken the loads of the freight cars which are backed up clear to the origin of traffic, the tracks would have been cleared for domestic trade. The railways cannot enlarge their home business because they are doing less foreign carrying. On the contrary, the domestic business would be larger if the foreign business were moving as freely now as before the U-boat war reached its present stage. The freight cars would take a return load if they could discharge what they have brought here for export. But so long as they stand on the tracks because they cannot be unloaded home trade is blockaded as truly as foreign trade.

A trade blockade is a credit blockade. Goods which cannot be delivered cannot be paid for, and disorganization of borrowing and lending is a result. That is particularly undesirable when loans are pending for city, State, and nation—not to mention foreign loans—on a scale comparable to the decrease of exports. We are attending strictly to our own peculiar affairs when we are safeguarding our rightful commerce. To be fair, and not to be alarmist, there are considerations lessening the effect of the February decline in our exports. There had hardly been an interruption in the monthly increases until last January. It is a certainty that January's maximum must have declined some time. We could not have maintained them, and foreign buyers could not have paid for them at that rate for long. Although February showed such a decline compared with January, it showed an increase compared with February last year. There surely was no such U-boat blockade in February last year. Moreover, February had four Sundays and two holidays. Therefore, February had only three weeks and a day as working days. Allowance must also be made for the fact that our statistics represent the working of the Government's statistical force, rather than the actual figures for any given period. It may be expected both that March trade will increase over February and that such increase will not be fully reported until April. It is a matter for consideration how far the present decrease is a belated report of a normal reduction from January's extraordinary increase, and rather emphasized than solely caused by the U-boat blockade. In any case, it is likely that the decrease is rather in goods suited for private consumption than in war supplies. One reason for thinking so is that the munitions orders have recently been reduced. Another is that Philadelphia's February shipments have been less interrupted than New York's. We have been sending foodstuffs largely, while Philadelphia's shipments have been proportionately more of munitions, and have been less reduced. Food and munitions are equally rightful traffic.

## PATRIOTIC ORGANIZED LABOR.

It was at the suggestion of the Council of National Defense that a conference of the officers of the American trade unions, national and international, was held in Washington. That council, charged with the duty of bringing about the co-operation and co-ordination of the national resources and all departments of its industrial and economic life, is naturally concerned to establish harmonious relations and a common purpose between capital and labor in preparation for the exigencies which events may entail.

In Great Britain, less fortunate than France or Germany, some of the trade unions were slow for a time to merge their special interests or claims in the general patriotic effort of the nation. The American trade unions show in the most vital of the resolutions adopted by the conference their hearty unison with the great body of Americans. They pledge themselves "in peace or "war, in stress or storm, to stand unreservedly by the standards of liberty "and the safety and preservation of "the institutions and ideals of our Republic." They hope for peace, but, if war comes, they will do their best and utmost for their country. There is a manly, sincere, noble note, a solemn fervor, in their promise and summons:

> We, with these ideals of liberty and justice herein declared as the indispensable basis for national policies, offer our services to our country in every field of activity to defend, safeguard, and preserve the Republic of the United States of America against its enemies, whosoever they may be, and we call upon our fellow-workers and fellow-citizens in the holy name of labor, justice, freedom, and humanity to devotedly and patriotically give like service.

They speak for some millions of men. At this time it is good to feel that there is a drawing together of Americans. The compartments and partitions which interest, habit, prejudice have erected tend to disappear or be disregarded. If, in other parts of the document adopted by the conference, there are reminders of the old "class" language, of the doctrinairism of an economic and party creed, we must remember that many Socialist, radical, and intransigent elements had to be regarded; that the declaration of rights and wrongs and duties is largely theoretical; that every man is entitled to his opinions, and that the assertion without conditions or qualifications of the common resolve to defend the country is the prime and essential part of the statement.

Nobody doubted the patriotism of the unions, but it was worth while to confound the pacifists, the sentimentalists, the Socialists, by this strong expression of it. Other evidence of the feeling of the labor leaders, faithfully representing organized labor, is not wanting. JOHN MITCHELL is among the signers of a notice to the citizens of New York of their opportunity to subscribe to a pledge to support the President "in protecting American "rights against unlawful violence "upon land and sea, in guarding the "nation against hostile attacks, and "in upholding international right," and among the supporters of that declaration on the first day of its appearance were such conspicuous labor leaders as JOSEPH BARONDESS, HUGH FRAYNE, TIMOTHY HEALY, and JAMES P. HOLLAND. There is no proviso on the Americanism of organized labor. The demands, conditions, and guarantees laid down by the conference are largely theoretical. The devotion to national self-defense is unreserved.

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

**Differences Between Belligerents.** While passing through Spain on his way home from Germany in the party of Ambassador GERARD, the representative of THE TIMES was struck, as he had been in France, by what seemed to him a lavish and even wasteful use of food. This impression was produced, presumably, by the force of contrast between the habits of a country that has been brought by the war to the very verge of starvation for all classes and those of two where, though the supply of food is diminished by the operations of the German submarines, the effect produced has been, as yet, rather that of inconvenience than of such desperate scarcity as exists in Germany. Neither the French nor the Spanish has ever been a wasteful people. It is not believable that they have now fallen into that vice, and the chances are that anybody going from here to either France or Spain would see, not carelessness in the use of food, but a new and notable carefulness.

Another observation made by the same traveler was that Spain simply swarmed with beggars, whose demands, as he put it, "were made with a persistency that would not be denied," while in Germany, in spite of the prevailing deprivations, mendicancy is practically unknown. That seems strange, at first thought, but it must be remembered that beggars have always been numerous in Spain, and that the collection of alms there constitutes a profession by no means dishonorable, as the existence of its members provides for the more prosperous what is considered a convenient and valuable means of acquiring merit. That idea was abandoned long ago in Germany, and even the direst exigencies of war have not revived it. Now, as hitherto, the methods of relieving need and assuaging poverty are free, or nearly free, from the evil taint of charity. Those methods have become more "scientific" than ever, as conditions have grown worse, or rather they have been extended to cover the whole population, and, with the distribution of food sternly regulated by the Government, an approach to an all-pervading equality of supply has been attained.

This may prompt the opponents of "scientific" or "organized" charity to call it "Prussian" as an epithet of reproach, but they should not forget that it is Germany's virtues and wisdoms, not her vices and follies, that have made her such a redoubtable antagonist for the rest of the world, or that the virtues and the wisdoms are as real as the vices and the follies.

**Telephones Now a Necessity.** Telephone statistics in this country have for some time dealt with figures so large that they make no very clear or definite impression on the ordinary mind, and though the increases as regards use, earnings, and expenditures in the company's report for 1916, as compared with the previous year, are all by more than a few millions, it is only when we come to some such statement that the total number of "calls" would have given 100 apiece to every man, woman, and child in the country that we begin to realize what an important part the telephone plays in American life.

Yet one doesn't have to be so very old to remember when the telephone was an extravagance of the few, or even when there were no telephones at all. How we managed to get along in those days, without a facility that has come to be the everyday necessity for almost everybody, is a mystery that constantly becomes darker. Probably in time we shall come to regard the pre-telephonic era much as we do the Dark Ages, as a period fortunately in the dim and legendary past, when unhappiness must have been, and therefore was, the common lot.

Still, it is true of the telephone, as of all *other* "labor-saving" machinery, that it doesn't in the slightest degree diminish the general demand for hard work, and merely gives us, not more leisure, but the ability to do more in a given time.

Perhaps the most astonishing, or the most nearly astonishing, passage in the company's report is that dealing with the demonstrated possibility of linking wireless telephony with telephony over wires and enabling a person well inland to carry on conversation with one far out at sea. That is now done, it seems, though not many of us do it yet, and the wonder of the operation is apparently increased by the fact that the wireless part of it is not disturbed, though the "party" out at sea is tossed about, at the time, by a severe storm.

For both kinds of telephony, however, as for both kinds of telegraphy—wire and wireless and on land and water—there evidently is room as well as need. They are auxiliaries rather than rivals, and each has advantages and superiorities enough to save it from any chance of abandonment.

**To Investigate What Is Now Known.** Even the fiercest antagonists of compulsory health insurance—the doctors who resent any sort of "lay" meddling with medical matters or remunerations, and the insurance officials who apprehend a decrease of their business and profits—cannot openly or strenuously object to the appointment of a State Commission to investigate the plan and report on its practicability. That, it seems likely, is what the State Legislature will do, and though such a commission can accomplish little more than a re-traversing of ground already well covered by like bodies in Massachusetts and California, probably, in the circumstances, it is wiser to undertake and perform that rather needless task than to proceed at once with the enactment of a law.

What the report of our commission will be depends wholly on the character and quality of the men appointed to it. As proposed by the new Mills-Coffey bill, it is to consist of two Senators, three Assemblymen, and four other persons, one to represent employers, one the wage-earners, one a physician, and another undescribed. That looks like a fairly equitable distribution of power, though it is evident that the decisive voice will remain with the legislators, and they may or may not be more open-minded than the three who almost certainly will start the investigation with a lot of ready-made assumptions and prejudices, one way or the other.

New York State, like New York City, is always slow to act in matters of this sort, and is wont to treat as rash and experimental what long since became common practice elsewhere. The chances are that this peculiarity will again be illustrated with respect to health insurance, but we did come to workmen's compensation, though belatedly, and in the same way we shall come to its logical and necessary sequence after we have taken our time about it.

### A Different Impression of Paris.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

I wish to dispute your correspondent's letter dated Havana, March 11, 1917, regarding conditions in Paris.

Having just returned from a four weeks' stay in that city, I know that Paris is not gay, nor is the opera brilliant with smartly gowned women. One is not permitted to enter the Opera House in evening dress, and I doubt if one could find gayety in the restaurants, which close at 9:30 P. M.

Paris is far from gay, and its streets and boulevards barely populated at night. France realizes how serious war is, and has put gayety aside until peace with victory is hers once more. WALTER P. McTEIGUE.

New York, March 12, 1917.

### Missouri Also.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

Herr Zimmermann calmly hands over Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona to our busy neighbors on the south. Why not Missouri also? American public sentiment has failed to penetrate the mind of Stone. Maybe Carranza could "show him."

ERNEST R. CLARK.

Rochester, N. Y., March 5, 1917.

### JERUSALEM.

Again the Briton nears the ancient gates!
 The city of the Holy Sepulchre
Sits in its Eastern calm and dumbly waits
 The coming of the legions from afar.

They're dust a thousand years, the knightly train
 That followed Richard's leopard-blazoned shield
Down the long road that valor pointed plain—
 The path of honor to the stricken field.

Now men as bold as they, their sires' sons,
 Toil through the sands where centuries ago
Their forebears fought—awake with roaring guns
 The dead who heard crusading trumpets blow.

Perchance the ghost of grim old Saladin
 A scimitar across their path may fling.
Yet shall one wave them onward till they win—
 The wraith of England's Lion-hearted King!

O. C. A. CHILD.

# CITY STANDS AS ONE WITH THE PRESIDENT

## No Distinction of Nativity Indicated Among Signers of Declaration of Loyalty.

## GERMAN BORN GIVE PLEDGE

### Foreign Language Newspapers Are Prompt to Spread Call — Kirchwey Ready to Fight for Honor.

The Mayor's Committee on National Defense has begun a census of men and women of New York and its environs which, it is expected, will be an index to the city's loyalty in the present crisis with Germany, and in the even more serious situation which actual war would bring. Through the publication yesterday of its "Declaration of Loyalty to the President of the United States" with the invitation to all men and women eighteen or more years of age to sign it, the committee set in motion a campaign which threatened last night to overwhelm the organization, hastily created and installed in offices at 50 East Forty-second Street.

In its announcement the committee asserted that its purpose was to provide an opportunity for "individual expression through a declaration of loyalty and support to our Government, addressed to the President of the United States." The need was found, in the opinion of the committee, in the fact that "public approval of protective measures is to be taken for granted. But what is understood at home may easily be misunderstood abroad. The great stir raised by small but energetic groups whose cry is 'surrender,' is calculated to encourage new aggressions upon our national rights. These groups hold meetings, circulate petitions, and wait upon the President and Congress, while the vast body of citizens, not organized for demonstration, remain inarticulate. We may be sure that the clamor of the disloyal and of the misguided few who believe that perpetual yielding is the solution of all our national difficulties, is heard abroad. It is now time that the great majority of Americans should speak and that their meaning should be unmistakable."

And the responses came yesterday, in such numbers, with such earnestness; and from so many civic, business, and social organizations, that the impossibility of keeping the campaign from broadening into a real census of sentiment became apparent to the men who started it.

Placards of announcement and copies of the declaration to be signed had been posted in the leading hotels, at the district headquarters of both politicaal parties in Manhattan, in Western Union telegraph offices, the Municipal offices, police stations, and other accessible places. Before night proffers of aid came from the railroads, the New York Stock Exchange, the New York Chamber of Commerce, the Merchants' Association, business men's associations of various sorts, women's organizations, including those devoted to suffrage; the Harlem Board of Commerce, the Bronx Board of Trade, and the Queens Chamber of Commerce. Moving picture interests promised to display the announcement and declaration on their screens. The American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, at a meeting in the Woolworth Building yesterday, pledged the support of its publications and a special committee was formed, under Dr. Pierre A. Siegelstein of 220 East Twelfth Street, to canvas the east side so that no resident there might miss opportunity to declare his principles.

The railroads, except the New York Central and the Pennsylvania, which found that they needed more time to put the scheme into operation, announced themselves ready to have the declaration passed among all commuters on their trains.

At the newly opened offices a squad of clerks and telephone operators, under the direction of Louis Graves, Executive Secretary of the committee, was busy all day recording persons who visited the office or who telephoned requests to be added to the list. The enthusiasm displayed justified the assertion last night that "if there had ever been any doubt of New York's loyalty it has been removed now," for the inquiries came from thousands of Americans of foreign birth and among them the many who traced their origin to Germany were not outnumbered by the representatives of any other country.

Some indication of the sudden success of the move was given by the 222 names signed to the committee's initial proclamation. Among these were prominent Germans and at least one man hitherto classed as a pacifist. This was Dr. George W. Kirchwey, and to THE TIMES he explained the reasons that influenced him to sign the declaration. Said he:

"The term pacifist covers a great variety of ideas and of people. The American Peace Society with which I am associated has never—in its main constitution has never—been a peace-at-any-price organization. I see nothing inconsistent in membership in this society with enrollment among those who pledge support to the President.

"There is no question of the duty of the President to protect American rights on land and sea. The only question is of ways and means, and if all peaceful means have been exhausted then it is time we protect our rights by whatever means may be necessary. I believe in peace as long as we can have it with honor. When we can't I wan't to fight."

Carl L. Schurz was another whose name appeared on the declaration. He said he didn't understand the pledge to be anti-German or anti-anything else. Neither did he consider it as pro-Ally. To him it was simply pro-American, and, had he thought it was anti-anything, he would not have signed it, he said.

"But there is no question as to where I stand if it comes to trouble between the United States and any other country, no matter what," he added.

Frederick A. Wurzbach said:

"Irrespective of my German name I'm for the United States, first, last, and all the time; right or wrong. I'm an American-German. Get that distinction? I'm not a German-American."

Stuard Hirschman said his parents were born in Germany. He has an uncle living there now, and had had relatives in the German Army though he did not know now whether they were alive or dead.

"But," he said, "I don't think a man ought to consider what his descent may have been, German or otherwise, in a crisis of this sort. I am for America above all other countries, and you can't make that too strong. Incidentally, I find that most other so-called German-Americans feel as I do; that is, those with whom I have discussed the matter. Did you know there were about 200,000 Germans in Queens? There are, and I think it is safe to say that all of them are staunch Americans. With us all it's a case of America first and all the time."

Those whose names appeared on the initial declaration were selected by the committee because its members were acquainted with them and could submit the question in person or because of their standing in the community. Philip J. McCook, who has acted as Chairman of the movement, sent out telegrams several days ago, and many of the signatures were returned by telegram. In few instances did the committee encounter refusals; so few, in fact, as to justify the assertion that the public is overwhelmingly loyal to this country and President Wilson's program.

Practically to a man the city officials were enthusiastic, for although Borough President Van Name alone among members of the Estimate Board did not appear among the signers, he explained that he had neglected the opportunity because of work and the fact that the declaration had not been actually presented to him.

Certainly, he said, he was in hearty favor of it and would have signed it instantly had it been directly presented to him.

# TURN FLOWERS TO CHARITY.

### Jews Praise Suggestion to Transform Funeral Tributes.

Henry Morgenthau and Louis Marshall have come to the support of the suggestion to do away entirely with flowers at Jewish funerals, as suggested by I. Edwin Goldwasser, Director of the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, who seeks to divert to philanthropy several hundred thousand dollars spent annually in this city on funeral flowers. Mr. Morgenthau yesterday said:

"It is certainly desirable to stop the fearful excess that has characterized the making of floral tributes to the dead, and I am pleased that the federation has undertaken the task. As long as the living are destitute and in despair, it seems wise to direct those who wish to show regard for departed friends to do so by contributing, in memory of their names, to a fund to alleviate the misery of the poor."

Mr. Marshall said:

"I have long thought the practice wasteful, extravagant, and, in many instances, vulgar. It is a violation of the fine Jewish tradition pursuant to which the prince and the pauper were treated alike in the presence of death. The revival of the beautiful custom which prevailed among the Jews of bestowing charity in memory of the dead should be encouraged. Instead of honoring the dead with flowers, which wither in an hour, the tributes should be converted into charitable gifs, which bloom forever."

# PLEA FOR WATERSHED BILLS

### Merchants' Association Asks Aid for Wagner-Bloch Measures.

Thousands of letters from citizens to the Senators and Assemblymen representing New York City in the State Legislature calling on them to support the Wagner-Bloch bills for the protection of the city's water supply from pollution are expected to pour into Albany in the next few days as the result of the wide distribution of a circular this week by the Merchants' Association.

"So long as it is possible to locate or maintain hospitals and similar public institutions upon the Croton Watershed," says the circular, "the lives of the city's people will be menaced by the probably dangerous pollution of the city's water supply. The purpose of the Wagner-Bloch bills is to secure the abandonment of the sites already authorized for the Mohansic Hospital and the Boys' Training School, and to forbid the future location of such institutions upon the Croton Watershed.

"Every citizen should aid in protecting the city's people against the dangerous possibility of a polluted water supply and we therefore earnestly request you to write the Senator and Assemblymen representing your district."

On the back of the circular is a list of the names of the Senators and Assemblymen from New York City. There will be a legislative hearing on the bills at Albany tomorrow at which both the Merchants' Association and the City Government will be represented, to urge passage of the measures.

# ASSAIL ANTI-STRIKE BILL.

### Labor Men Oppose Measure Affecting Public Utilities.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, March 13.—Asserting that the Meyers bill is designed to prevent strikes of employes of public service corporations, is a measure "creating in the State of New York a condition of peonage," representatives of organized labor came to the Capitol today from every part of the State to attend a hearing before the Assembly Judiciary Committee.

Among the labor men who opposed the measure was William B. Fitzgerald, general organizer of the street railway employes, who conducted the car strike in New York last Summer. Mr. Fitzgerald said that the bill was aimed wholly at New York City, where the street railway employes had been making an effort to organize.

"The language of this bill," said Mr. Fitzgerald, "demonstrates to me that the introducer had the idea in his mind of preventing street railway employes in the City of New York from combining. The street car men are opposed to the idea of individual agreement contained in this measure."

Those favoring the bill, representatives of the Merchants' Association, which was instrumental in having the measure drawn, asserted that the rights of the public were paramount.

# FAVORS TAX ON 'MOVIES.'

### Wheeler Committee Wants a New State Department Created.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, March 13.—The report of the Wheeler Committee, which has been considering the question of imposing a tax on the motion picture industry, will be sent in tomorrow. While Chairman Wheeler will reveal none of the details of his report, it is known that the recommendations will include a new State Department to supervise film exhibitions, and the levying of a tax which it is estimated will net the State from $300,000 to $450,000 annually.

Some of the larger houses will pay as much as $300 a year, while the tax for a small theatre will be nominal. The films will be taxed at the rate of one-tenth of a cent to 10 cents a foot. Another feature of the report is a recommendation that motion picture machine operators be licensed.

# TEACHERS GO TO ALBANY.

### Joint Hearing on Pension Bills Tomorrow Afternoon.

A joint hearing on the Lockwood-Ellenbogen Pension bill for the New York public school teachers will be held by the Committees on Cities of the Senate and the Assembly at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in Albany. The hearing will be held at this early date to give members of the Legislature time to study the bill. The Board of Education, the Interborough Association of Women Teachers, and other teachers' organizations have approved the bill. The Professional Elementary Teachers' Association is opposed to it. So are the members of the former Central Pension Committee of 150 members, which disbanded on Monday, and then formed the new Teachers' Interests Organization. It will ask President Willcox of the Board of Education to grant permission to its committee to attend all hearings in Albany in opposition to the bill.

Petitions are being circulated by leaders opposed to the bill asking that the hearing be postponed until Easter week, when the schools will be closed and the teachers free to go to Albany. The Teachers' Interests Organization has elected Charles Rozelle, Jr., Chairman, and Miss Harriet K. Porritt Vice Chairman.

# MEXICO CITY AGAIN CAPITAL.

### Decree Announcing the Removal from Queretaro to be Issued.

*Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.*

QUERETARO, Mexico, March 13.—Mexico City will again be the capital of the republic, a new decree stating that the causes of the change to Queretaro for the framing of the new Constitution in that city have disappeared and the Government will return to the old capital. This decree will be issued Thursday.

General Carranza polled 1,500,000 votes in the election Sunday.

Reports from the City of Guerrero state that Villistas have been defeated by General Murguia's men, who took many prisoners. The reports contained no news of Villa.

# COLOMBIAN TREATY READY FOR SENATE

## Foreign Relations Committee Makes a Favorable Report on $25,000,000 Measure.

## MODIFY FORM OF APOLOGY

### Lodge Calls It Blackmail Backed by German Intrigue—Knox Joins Democrats in Support of It.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Acting on urgent representations from the Executive, the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations today ordered a favorable report on an amended form of the treaty with Colombia. The vote was partisan except that Mr. Knox of Pennsylvania who was Secretary of State in the Taft Administration, joined the Democrats in support of the treaty. Mr. Knox as Secretary of State tried repeatedly to adjust differences with Colombia by a money payment and yesterday, following a long talk on the subject with Secretary Lansing, his support of the present treaty was assured.

As recommended by the committee, the treaty provides for the payment of $25,000,000 to Colombia, and instead of expressing the sincere regret of the American Government and people, as did the original Bryan treaty, the committee today adopted its amendment of Feb. 3, 1916, in which the regret of Colombia and of the United States is expressed in the same sentence and the same terms. The committee further adopted an amendment proposed by Senator Lodge, and insisted upon by Mr. Knox declaring the absolute title of the United States to the Panama Canal Zone.

The modified "apology" as agreed to in committee is embodied in the following substitute for Paragraph I., Article I. of the treaty:

"The Governments of the United States of America and the Republic of Colombia, in their own names and in the names of their respective peoples, wishing to put at rest all controversies and differences between them arising out of the events from which the present situation on the Isthmus of Panama resulted, express sincere regret that anything should have occurred to interrupt or to mar the relations of cordial friendship that had so long subsisted between the two nations."

The Lodge amendment adopted today will be incorporated into the treaty as Article V., the present Article V. being retained as Article VI. It follows:

"That neither the making of this convention nor any of the stipulations herein contained shall be considered to cast any doubt or shadow upon the title of the United States to the Panama Canal, which title the Government of Colombia recognizes as entire, absolute and complete in the United States of America."

**Encouraged by Knox's Stand.**

While the Democratic leaders are much encouraged by Mr. Knox's support of the treaty, its ultimate ratification remains doubtful. All that Chairman Stone would say on the subject was that he expected no dilatory tactics; that dilatory tactics, if adopted, would be beaten down by the new rule of closure, and that he felt confident of being able to get final action on the treaty one way or another. He said he did not know what was the sentiment of the Senate.

Republicans said today that two or three of them might vote for the treaty. But as a two-thirds vote is necessary thirty-two Senators can defeat it. Republican leaders expressed the belief that the treaty would not be approved. The fight will begin with the formal report of the treaty to the Senate tomorrow and debate will probably begin next day.

If a statement given out by Mr. Lodge this afternoon is any indication, debate will be sharp, though no one expects it to be unduly prolonged. Mr. Lodge, who is a warm friend of Colonel Roosevelt's, has always held the Colombian demands to be a form of international blackmail. That demand, he said today, is now being reinforced by threats of an alliance with Germany. These threats, he said, would make any payment to Colombia simply another form of tribute.

His statement reads:

"The treaty with Colombia now before the Senate has been made public, so that there is no need for silence in regard to it. It was made by Mr. Bryan in 1914. It begins with an apology, and ends with paying Colombia $25,000,000 for nothing in particular except her doubtful goodwill after payment. This treaty has been urged and promoted with intense energy by representatives of Colombia, by lawyers and writers, by New York bankers and great financial interests. It has been slumbering on the calendar of the last Senate since June, 1914, because there never have been votes enough to ratify it. I think it is a bad treaty, but it is not necessary or possible to give in a brief statement the space which even a short sketch of our relations with Colombia would require. The objections to the treaty on its merits seem to me conclusive, but I shall not rehearse them now.

"The reasons given for its ratification at this moment are enough to condemn it. Even if I favored the treaty I would not support it at this time, because I am not willing to have my country blackmailed. We are told, and truly, I have no doubt, that German intrigues and German influence have been active in Colombia, and therefore we must ratify this treaty at once and pay Colombia $25,000,000. We are told that Colombia will furnish submarine bases to Germany from which she can assail our shipping and the Panama Canal, and therefore in the present crisis we must ratify the treaty and buy Colombia off with $25,000,000 and an apology. That we are not properly prepared for war I am aware, but we have not yet sunk so low that Colombia can levy tribute from us. We can protect the harbor of Colon with mines and nets against submarines.

"We can send there destroyers and submarine chasers and a few unarmored cruisers or a battleship. With them we can patrol the coast, examine submarine bases, and if war with Germany should come, look in in a friendly spirit at some of the Colombian ports. We should have to do this in any event, for we should have no more security against Colombia's helping our enemies after giving her $25,000,000 than after refusing to do so. Perhaps these simple precautions have already been taken at Colon. I hope so. I do not know whether anything has been done, but I am certain that a few ships and nets and mines at Colon, and some troops in the Canal Zone, will protect us much better from attacks by Colombia and her proposed ally than apologies and money extorted under threat.

**Will Not Vote for Blackmail.**

"I have voted for hundreds of millions for defense. I shall gladly vote millions more for that purpose if we are forced into a war to save freedom, democracy, and modern civilization. I shall most cheerfully join in giving the President every power he needs and vote to place on the statute book every necessary law to help us win as soon as possible, if war must come. But I will not vote to betray gratuitously my country's honor and drag her through the deepest humiliation by submitting to blackmailing threats and naked coercions from Colombia or any other State. It matters not whether her claim is meritorious or worthless, it must not be extorted from the United States by threats of war or of an alliance with Germany. I was brought up on the doctrine of the toast at the John Marshall dinner in Philadelphia in June, 1798: 'Millions for defence, but not one cent for tribute.' It has been the doctrine of the American people ever since. It fits this case exactly. The Senate ought not to ratify, ought not to be asked to ratify a treaty supported by blackmailing threats and for the benefit of a country which has proposed actively to help our foes if war should come upon us. The old Marshall doctrine is the sound one; let us not be disgraced by departing from it."

# JAPANESE PRINTS GO AT RECORD PRICES

### $1,200 Paid for a Kakemono-ye by Toyonobu at the Hirakawa Collection Sale.

### A HIROSHIGE BRINGS $570

### "Fujiyama," by Hokusai, Sold to H. S. Michie for $270—Total for 503 Prints, $15,936.

A kakemono-ye, a Japanese print by Toyonobu, brought $1,200 at the sale of prints of the Hirakawa collection at the American Art Galleries last evening, going to Seaman, agent, and making a record as the highest price ever paid for a Japanese print at public sale. The name of the purchaser was not given, but the strongest competitor was Mrs. C. J. Blair, for whom Bernet, agent, bid up to $1,150. The print was a lacquer, an excellent impression, in perfect condition, in a wonderful state of freshness for a print by the artist who was born in 1711 and died in 1785. It is the portrait of a young woman of position, in a simple Summer dress, walking in a garden.

Another kakemono-ye, "The Monkey Bridge," by Hiroshige, recognized as the best work of the artist, which went to H. Stuart Mischie for $570, was a record public sale price for that print.

The returns for the 253 prints sold were $12,400, making a total for the sale of 503 prints of $15,936.

Miss Frances E. Osborne was one of the buyers of many of the best prints; Howard Mansfield was another purchaser, and Frederick May and Louis Ledoux were buyers of important prints. "Fujiyama," by Hokusai, went to H. Stuart Michie for $270; Miss Osborne paid $350 for another print of the same sacred mountain by the artist, both among the thirty-six views by Hokusai; a kakemono-ye, "Tokusa-Kari," an old man carrying a heavy load, by Hokusai, went to Seaman, agent, for $120; another kakemono-ye, by the artist, "Toru-Daijin in Full Court Costume," went to Michie for $105; another, two nobles, on horseback, laughing at an old fisherman, to the same buyer for $135. "Abe-no-Nakamaro, the Great Poet and Statesman," in a kakemono-ye, went to Seaman, agent, for $100.

A remarkable upright print, "Portrait of the Actor Iwai Hanshiro in Female Character," by Toyokuni, went to Bernet, agent, for $260; George Harvard paid $105 for a triptych by the same artist, beautiful young women in a pleasure boat. A vertical print by Yeishi, "Portrait of Hanamurasaki," a famous beauty, went to Seaman, agent, for $210. A long, narrow print by Harunobu, a lady riding sidewise on a cow, went to W. S. Spalding for $260, and a Chuban, two handsome girls in a house, went to Oshima for $170. Louis Ledouz paid $140 for another by the artist, a young mother indoors watching her children at play.

A Chuban picturing a fishing party in a boat, a young girl catching a fish, went to Miss Osborne for $190; Kolcut paid $130 for one picturing a young woman hiding in the hollow of a tree, and still the most striking print by the artist in the collection, a young man in white Komuso costume, carrying a flute, went to F. C. Chappell for $190.

An upright print by Sharaku, "Portrait of the Artist Ichikawa Ebizo," with a silver background, went to Bernet, agent, for $170, and another upright by the same artist, portrait on silver, the "Actor Ohtani Tokuji as Otokedate," went to Miss Osborne for $280. An upright, "Portraits of the Actors Segawa Tomisaburo and Nakamura Manzo in Female Roles," silver ground, in fine condition, went to Burnet, agent, for $240. A triptych, one of the great sets, Kanazawa Hakkei, by Hiroshige, picturing a landscape and lake on a moonlight night, went to Seaman, agent, for $310.

## $62,000 FOR A DI BOLOGNA.

### H. E. Huntington Adds "Hercules Lifting Antaeus" to His Groups.

Henry E. Huntington, collector of the work of Joan di Bologna, has purchased another masterpiece by the artist—a superb bronze group, 25 inches high, "Hercules Lifting Antaeus." The group was purchased of Jacques Seligman, the art dealer of New York and Paris, for $62,000. Mr. Huntington's collection already includes twenty pieces by Bologna from the J. Pierpont Morgan collection.

The present group is one of the most important of the portable work of di Bologna, and beautiful in quality and patina. It represents a scene from the fight of Hercules with Antaeus. The latter giant, the son of Neptune and the Earth, was suffocated in the arms of Hercules. The great Hercules throwing the giant repeatedly to the earth only to find that he regained strength with each fall was finally reminded by a little bird that the Earth was the mother of Antaeus, and the sculptured group shows the hero lifting his enemy high in the air.

The group was acquired by Mr. Seligmann of Leopold Hirsch of London, the gold mining magnate.

## SLATER EXPLAINS HIS BILL.

### Says He "Intends No Injustice" in Tax Exemption Measure.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, March 13.—Senator George A. Slater of Westchester said today that what he had asserted at a hearing last week before the Senate Committee on Taxation in support of his bill to abolish the exemption from taxes of charitable institutions in counties other than that in which the chief office of the organization maintaining them is situated, had been misconstrued. Senator Slater was quoted as saying that he had been moved to introduce his bill by fear that additional Catholic institutions drawing their wards from New York City exclusively would be placed in Westchester County, which he represents.

"By my bill," said Senator Slater, "I intend no injustice to any religious body maintaining charitable institutions in my county. I aim at none of the exempt classes mentioned in the present law. My purpose is merely to protect the people of my own Commonwealth, to whom I owe the first duty, from paying more than their just share of the local taxes. The cause is just and implication of failure will not deter me."

### The Fakirs to Caper Friday Night.

The Fakirs will hold their annual ball on Friday evening at the Biltmore, and there are to be clouds of confetti and endless coils of serpentine as well as much music and incidental diversions.

It is twenty-five years since a group of students of the Art Students' League founded the Fakirs. For a number of years they raised funds for scholarships for needy students at the league through exhibitions of their caricatures of the annual Spring exhibitions of the National Academy of Design, when art patrons attending the exhibitions bought the pictures. For several years, however, the ball has superseded the exhibition.

The committee in charge is made up of A. Frederick Bradley, Cy Watrus, and Donald Dickerman. Mr. Bradley has charge of the tickets. formance there.

### Miss Quincy to Wed Dr. Karcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Quincy (Miss Etta M. Ives) of 158 West Fifty-eighth Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ada Ives Quincy, to Dr. Edward Winslow Karcher of Boston. No date has been mentioned for the wedding.

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### First President of the American Association of Medical Milk Commissions Was 62.

Dr. Henry Leber Coit, specialist in children's diseases, died yesterday from pneumonia at his home, 277 Mount Prospect Avenue, Newark, N. J. Dr. Coit was born in Peapack, N. J., sixty-two years ago, and he was a son of the Rev. Summerfield Coit. Dr. Coit founded the Newark Babies' Hospital, the first institution of its kind in the United States. He was also the promoter of the movement in New Jersey for certified milk.

Dr. Coit was graduated from the College of Pharmacy in New York in 1876, and from the College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1883.

Dr. Coit was a member of the International Society Goutte de Lait, with headquarters in Budapest. He was also a member and the first President of the American Association of Medical Milk Commissions.

Dr. Coit was consulting physician at many institutions, including St. Vincent's Foundling Asylum at Montclair and the Home for Crippled Children in Newark. In 1911 Dr. Coit represented New Jersey medical societies at the International Congress for the Protection of Infants, held in Berlin. Dr. Coit is survived by his wife, three daughters, and one son.

## BURLESQUE ACTED ON ICE.

### Society Folk Give "An Egyptian Freeze" in Aid of Stony Wold.

A novel entertainment was staged by society on the ice last night at St. Nicholas Rink, the occasion being a Mi-Carême carnival given by Auxiliary No. 19 for the maintenance of its patients at Stony Wold Sanatorium.

The feature was a burlesque, entitled "An Egyptian Freeze," which was allegorical. First came the River Nile, represented by the Misses Barbara Shedd and Mary C. Sturges, both dressed in green, who swept across the ice, carrying a long strip of green cheese cloth.

A good-sized pyramid, concealing H. Pemberton Sturges, the skater, then hove in view, and took its position near the river. Afterwards an oasis was formed, surrounded by human palm trees, and finally a camel came along, and drank up the Nile.

The audience, which was large and fashionable, applauded the novelty, also the exhibition skating of Bror Meyer and Mrs. Emma Bergfeldt, which preceded the burlesque. The program was opened with a grand march on skates, and finished with a hockey game, the players being garbed in Egyptian costume.

Afterward there was supper and dancing, with society girls acting as waitresses, and also general skating. The Executive Committee was composed of Mrs. George Page Ely, Mrs. Edward Stevens, and the Misses Christina B. Fisher, Alice Fox, Ina Kissel, Mary C. Sturges, Kathryn B. Montgomery, Helen Sloan, and Jeannette Orr.

The hockey game was called the Battle of Agalumpsis, with Frank P. Washburn acting as umpire. Marshall G. Peabody was Captain of the Justites team, on which were Carl Nehr, William Fellows Morgan, Erick Kilner, Robert I. Grinnell, George P. Montgomery, and Stephen B. Smith. The opposing team, the Fishbites, with Dr. Robert H. Fowler as Captain, was made up of H. Cary Morgan, Charles D. Dickey, Jr., Clarence C. Pell, Philip Chew, Leonard Stanley, and Gouverneur M. Carnochan.

### Miss Ruth Hopper Weds on April 9.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Hopper, daughter of County Register John J. Hopper and Mrs. Hopper, of 352 West 121st Street, and George S. Hauck of Bayside, L. I., will take place at 8 o'clock on the evening of Monday, April 9, in the Gotham ballroom. Miss Hopper's sister, Miss Dorothy Hopper, will be her maid of honor. Mr. Hauck will have G. Elston Moore for his best man, and the ushers selected are William G. Toland, Louis Carreau, Haydock H. Miller, Alfred E. Finlay, Valdemar P. Fogh, and Howard B. Boden. Invitations for 500 guests have been issued for the reception.

### Edw. L. Martinez to Wed in Boston.

The marriage of Miss Catherine McQuillen, daughter of Mrs. Robert C. McQuillen of Cambridge, Mass., and Edward L. Martinez, a son of Mrs. Miguel Ramon Martinez of 50 East Fifty-eighth Street, this city, will take place in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Boston, on Saturday, May 19. Mr. Martinez, who is a member of the Seawanhaka Yacht Club and Squadron A, is a Williams College graduate of the class of 1915.

### Oliver B. Meads' Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. Mead of Greenwich, Conn., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday with a luncheon at the Hotel Biltmore, which was followed by a reception at the old Mead homestead at Field Point Park, in Greenwich. Mr. Mead and his wife are each 76 years of age, and are descendants of two of the oldest families in Greenwich.

### Births.

Announcement has been received from Paris of the birth of a daughter to the Baron and Baroness de la Grange. The Baroness was formerly Miss Emily E. Sloane of this city, a daughter of Henry T. Sloane. Their marriage took place in Paris in September, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kenneth Clinton of 39 East Fifty-seventh Street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Clinton was Miss Margery O. Rand.

A son was born on Saturday last to Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Hare of 33 Fifth Avenue.

### Bernhardt to Resume Her Tour.

Sarah Bernhardt, who cancelled her engagements and returned to this city from New England on Monday night because of a severe cold, had improved so much by last night that it was announced she would resume her tour tomorrow. Some of her intimate friends visited her in her suite at the Savoy Hotel last evening and then she retired early. If she continues to improve she will leave for New Haven, Conn., tomorrow in time to play a matinée per-

## EX-SENATOR PASCO DEAD.

### Florida Representative from 1887 to 1899 Succumbs at 83 Years.

TAMPA, Fla., March 13.—Samuel Pasco, former United States Senator from Florida, died here tonight. He was born in London, England, in 1834. He came to this country in 1841, settling first on Prince Edward Island, but after two years removed to Charleston, Mass. He was graduated from Harvard in 1859, and his first position was as Principal of the Waukeenah Academy, Florida.

When the war came Mr. Pasco enlisted in the Confederate Army. He was wounded at Missionary Ridge and taken a prisoner to Camp Morton, near Indianapolis, from where he was released on parole.

He returned to Florida and was admitted to the bar in 1867. In 1872 he became a member of the Democratic State Committee, and from 1876 to 1888 was its Chairman.

In 1880 he was elected Presidential Elector at Large, and five years later was delegate to the Constitutional Convention of his State. While Speaker of the State House of Representatives he was elected to the United States Senate as a Democrat in 1887, to succeed Charles W. Jones.

His appointment was by the Governor, but when the Legislature was assembled he was nominated by acclamation and re-elected unanimously. This was in 1893, and his term expired in 1899. He had been a member of the Isthmian Canal Commission.

Ex-Senator Pasco was prominent in the Masonic order. He resided in Monticello.

### Memorial for Ex-Judge Wallace.

Circuit and District Court Judges in this city yesterday held memorial exercises in memory of ex-Judge William J. Wallace, who died on Sunday last at Jacksonville, Fla. The meeting was held in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Among those present were District Judges Learned Hand, Julius M. Mayer, Augustus N. Hand, and Martin T. Manton. Ex-Judge E. Henry Lacombe and Circuit Judge Alfred C. Coxe delivered addresses.

### Jay M. Strong.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 13.—Jay M. Strong, 31 years old, City Commissioner of Charities, died suddenly at his home here tonight of heart disease. Mr. Strong, was born Sept. 8, 1885, and was graduated from Syracuse University in 1908. Mr. Strong was a thirty-second degree Mason.

### Obituary Notes.

J. BYRON STARK, 59 years old, died last night at the Breslin Hotel. He won a national reputation as an amateur billiard player, and was an enthusiastic fisherman.

OSCAR B. MOCKRIDGE, 72 years old, Vice President of the Security Savings Bank, Newark, N. J., died Sunday night at his home in that city.

Captain GILBERT JOHNSTON, 64 years old, long connected with Canada steamship lines, died at his home in Montreal yesterday.

LOUIS COSSON, 65 years old, an old-time actor, died suddenly last night at 54 West Twenty-sixth Street, where he lived. He was a native of France and is said to have been at one time a costumer for Mme. Sarah Bernhardt.

WILLIAM E. TURNER, member of the coffee and sugar brokerage firm of Reamer, Turner & Co., 114 Water Street, died yesterday at his residence, 35 Mount Morris Park West. He was 67 years old.

BRAINERD PRESCOTT EMERY, author of many poems, died in Newburyport, Mass., yesterday. He was 52 years old.

HENRY HOUCK, Secretary of the State Department of Internal Affairs, died at his home in Lebanon, Penn., yesterday. He was 81 years old.

Mrs. ELIZABETH SEIDLER, who died in the Nyack, (N. Y.,) Hospital, was formerly a resident of Brooklyn and was the wife of Albert Seidler, a retired hotel man of that borough. She was 65 years old.

WALTER WILDING, 74 years old, for many years with the New York Telephone Company and well known in Catholic charity work in Brooklyn, died on Monday at his home, 1,216 Dean Street, Brooklyn. Mr. Wilding was a native of Cheshire, England, and was President of the St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. John's Chapel.

Mrs. REGINA AMMERMAN, wife of Benjamin Ammerman, a Brooklyn lawyer, died at her home, 533 Eighth Street, South Brooklyn, on Monday. She was a member of the Hebrew Young Women's Association and the Renskorf Fraternity Association, and was prominent in the work of Temple B'nai Sholaum.

JESSE R. BETTS, 54 years old, a son of the late Thomas Betts, a dealer in drugs and chemicals in Manhattan, died at his home, 36 Conselyea Street, Brooklyn, on Sunday. Mr. Betts was born in the house in which he died. He was unmarried.

CARL COLLMER, an artist in the employ of the Empire State Engraving Company in Manhattan, died on Monday at his home, 357 Decatur Street, Brooklyn, aged 37 years. He was born in Milwaukee, Wis., and is survived by his wife, a son, and a daughter.

CHARLES ALMERIN TINKER, a veteran telegrapher, who was stationed at the War Department in Washington, D. C., throughout the civil war, died in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, on Monday, in his eightieth year, and the funeral services will be held in the chapel at 86 Lefferts Place, Brooklyn, on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Tinker was a former President of the Lincoln Club of Brooklyn and for many years was the General Superintendent of the Eastern branch of the Western Union Telegraph Company.

DIEDERICH HERMAN SIELING, for a quarter of a century the owner of the Liberty Hotel in Brooklyn and a member of Allemania Lodge, No. 740, F. and A. M., and of the Brooklyn Liquor Dealers' Association, is dead at his home, 1,807 East Fourteenth Street, Flatbush, in his fifty-seventh year.

Mrs. MARY ORSON HOUSTOUN, widow of W. A. Houstoun, died on Sunday at her home, 453 Third Street, South Brooklyn, aged 66 years. She is survived by two sons, Alexander J., junior partner in the banking firm of Greer, Crane & Webb, and George O. Houstoun, purchasing agent for the Guayaquil & Quito Railway of Ecuador.

LEOPOLD MICHEL, 77 years old, a retired jeweler and later in the building business in Brooklyn, died in the Jewish Hospital on Monday. The funeral services will be held this afternoon in the Temple Beth Elohim, in Keap Street, Brooklyn, of which he was a former President and Vice President. He was a native of Alsace-Lorraine, France, and was an honorary trustee of the Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum Society and a member of the Brooklyn Federation of Hebrew Charities. He left a widow, two sons, and six daughters.

Mrs. ABBIE JOHNSON HEGEMAN, a prominent member of the Sands Street Memorial M. E. Church in Brooklyn and widow of William Rogers Hegeman, died yesterday at her home in Jersey City. She was 74 years old.

CHARLES HENRY WIGGINS, formerly associated with his father in the manufacture of billiard tables and bowling alleys, died at Kingston, N. Y., on Sunday, and the funeral services will be held this evening at his home, 154 Ashford Street, Brooklyn. In recent years he had been connected with the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company. He was 43 years old.

WALTER SCOTT MACGREGOR, a lawyer in Brooklyn for many years, died at his home, 1,134 Pacific Street, Brooklyn, on Monday, in his seventieth year. He was born in Oneida, N. Y., and formerly practiced at Kingston.

S. ARCHIBOLD FRITH, formerly of the firm of Dunscomb & Frith, late of Brooklyn, died Monday in his ninetieth year, at Reading, Penn.

JOHN B. BURLISON, a retired manufacturer of excelsior, died Monday at his home in Bloomingdale, N. J. Early this month he and his wife celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding.

Mrs. ELIZABETH R. MILLER, widow of M. E. Miller, a merchant of Belton, Texas, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert L. McElroy, Cryder's Point, Whitestone. She was born in Kentucky, and was 77 years old.

Captain JEROME McDONALD, a master of fishing vessels, of Gloucester, Mass., died there on Monday.

Mrs. ANGIE KING HICKS, widow of Thomas Hicks, artist, who painted portraits of Lincoln and others, died yesterday at her residence, 230 West Fifty-ninth Street. She was a daughter of Dr. T. F. King and was born in Brooklyn in 1834.

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## FLAG-BURNER EXPLAINS.

### Henkel Says He Acted Reverently in the "Melting Pot" Ceremony.

Raymond Henkel, "from out Jamaica way," who was the person who burned the American flag at a ceremony held in the courtyard of the Church of the Social Revolution last June, for which the Rev. Bouck White, the pastor, and ten of his followers are being tried before Judge McIntyre and a jury in General Sessions on charges of desecration, yesterday testified that he had been actuated by "the best of motives" when he put the flag into a flaming melting pot. The ceremony, he said, was "symbolical of the welding together of the peoples of the earth into a closer brotherhood, which would not recognize national boundary lines."

"I felt that the time had come when such a message should be given to the world. I felt that the principles of brotherhood should be conveyed to the minds of men in a forceful manner," Henkel said. "Do I love the American flag? Certainly I love the Stars and Stripes. That is why I did not consider it desecration when I took part in the ceremony in welding it with the flags of other nations, as symbolical of internationalism."

"Did you vote last election despite the fact that you had practically renounced your allegiance to the flag when you cast it into the melting pot with a prayer?" asked Judge McIntyre.

"Yes," the witness replied. "I place my allegiance to the flag second to the future state, in which humanity to man will be paramount. The American flag is supposed to represent the highest ideals of our people, but the greedy profit grabbers have changed that."

"I should like to know who these greedy profit grabbers are," the court asked again.

"They are the men who own the Standard Oil Company, the men who manipulate the food markets and at present are waving their flags in Wall Street," Henkel said.

The Rev. John Howard Mellish, the Rev. Sydney Barrett, Dr. James P. Warbasse, and Henry Sedgewick, an essayist and biographer, testified that White bore an excellent reputation. The trial will be continued today.

## PRESIDENT STILL INDOORS.

### But His Condition Is Improved—Cabinet Meeting Cancelled.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—President Wilson remained indoors today, because of the cold from which he has suffered for the last week, but his condition was improved. The usual Tuesday Cabinet meeting was cancelled.

Both Secretary Tumulty and Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the President's physician, said shortly before noon that the President was steadily improving.

## MISS BRADLEY ENGAGED.

### Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradley to Wed Samuel Eliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradley of Morristown, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anne Brown Bradley, to Samuel Eliot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amory Eliot of Boston and Manchester, Mass.

Miss Bradley is a granddaughter of the late Joseph P. Bradley, who was Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, and a siste of Charles B. Bradley, who married Miss Constance Zerrahn of Boston. She is an active member of the Junior League, and was Chairman of one of the dances at the annual performance this season.

Mr. Eliot is a near relative of President Emeritus Eliot of Harvard University, and a brother of Mrs. Alfred Codman and Mrs. Frederick Burnham of Boston.

No date has been set for the wedding.

### A Party After Play's 250th Night.

As the result of a friendly encounter between Thomas A. Wise, Clifton Crawford, William Courtenay, and John L. Golden yesterday in the Lambs Club, at an al fresco party at which the members of the companies appearing in the Astor, Fulton, and Gaiety Theatres will be the guests after the theatre tonight. The party will be held in the cement-floored alleyways that connect the stage doors of the three theatres. The occasion for it is the 250th performance of "Turn to the Right," which Mr. Golden helped produce.

## Born.

MARSCHARK.—Dr. and Mrs. Max Marschark announce the birth of their daughter, Maxine Roberta, March 7, 1917, at the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.

## Married.

Newark.

HOFFER—ROSTER.—March 11, Margaret Roster to Otto B. Hoffer.

## Died.

BENJAMIN.—Suddenly, on Tuesday, March 13, Marie Benjamin, widow of Henry, mother of Mrs. Oscar Schein, Mrs. Arthur Gold, and Mrs. Jacob Rapoport. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BENNETT.—On Monday, March 12, Frances Mary, beloved daughter of Henry N. and Lillias Dowie. Funeral service at her late residence, 355 State St., Hackensack, N. J., on Wednesday, March 14, at 2:45 P. M.

BREESE.—On March 12, at her residence, 35 East 30th St., New York City, Frances Tileston, wife of James Lawrence Breese and daughter of the late Major Gen. Robert B Potter, in the 59th year of her age. Funeral private. Boston papers please copy.

BRUNDAGE.—At Mount Kisco, N. Y., on March 12, 1917, Henry Lockwood Brundage, in his 51st year. Funeral services at residence, 10 West Hyatt Av., Thursday, March 15, at 2:30.

CALDWELL.—Suddenly, Tuesday, March 13, at her home, 129 Orange Road, Montclair, N. J., Margaret Cook, aged 62 years, widow of John Armour Caldwell. Funeral Friday, at 2:30 P. M., from residence.

CHECK.—At Newark, N. J., on Sunday, March 11, 1917, Sterling, beloved husband of Margaret Harrison and son of Thomas J. and Emma Check. Funeral private.

CLARK.—Walter, N. A., on Monday, March 12, 1917, at Mount Vernon Hospital, in his 70th year. Funeral services will be held at Reformed Church, Bronxville, N. Y., Thursday, March 15, at 2:45 P. M.

COIT.—At his home, 277 Mount Prospect Av., Newark, N. J., on Monday, March 12, 1917, Henry Leber Coit, M. D., husband of Emma Gwinnell Coit, in his 63d year. Funeral service will be held in the Halsey Street M. E. Church on Thursday, March 15, at 2:30 P. M.

COMBES.—At Westfield, N. J., on March 12, 1917, Mary A. M. Combes in her 94th year. Funeral from 261 Orchard St., Westfield, on Thursday, March 15, at 2:30 P. M. Carriages will meet arrival of train leaving foot of Liberty St., C. R. R. of N. J., at 1:30 P. M.

CONANT.—On Monday, March 12, 1917, Susan J., widow of Nathaniel Conant. Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. St. John Webb, 162 Union St., Montclair, N. J., Wednesday, March 14, at 3:30 P. M. Interment Mount Auburn Cemetery, Boston, Mass.

COSSON.—Louis. Services THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th and 67th, (Campbell Building.) Time later.

CROCKETT.—On Monday, March 12, at 160 West 72d St., Rev. Stuart Crockett, rector of Holy Rood Church, and beloved husband of Adeline E. Sutphen. Funeral service will be held in the church, Fort Washington Av. and 179th St., on Wednesday, March 14, at 10:30 A. M. Interment at the convenience of the family. The clergy are invited to bring their vestments. It is earnestly requested that no flowers be sent.

CROCKETT.—The Mary Washington Colonial Chapter announce with deep regret the death of their chaplain, the Rev. Stuart Crockett, D. D. Funeral on Wednesday, March 14, at 10:30 A. M., from Holy Rood Church.

MARY VAN BUREN VANDERPOEL, Regent.
JULIA RAYMONT LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

DODD.—William Charles, suddenly, on Monday, March 12, 1917. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 322 William St., East Orange, N. J., on Wednesday, at 3:30 P. M. Interment private.

FORCE.—Suddenly, at 345 West 86th St., New York, on Monday, March 12, Emma Silliman Lacey Force, widow of Silas Cook Force. Funeral services will be held at the Church of the Incarnation, 35th St. and Madison Av., at 11 A. M. Wednesday, March 14.

FRIPP.—On Tuesday, March 13, 1917, at her residence, 221 West 106th St., New York City, Fannie Elise Wood, beloved wife of Charles Downing Fripp and daughter of the late J. Howard Wood. Funeral private.

FRITH.—On Sunday last, at Reading, Penn., in the 90th year of his age, S. Archibald Frith, late of Brooklyn, N. Y. Funeral at Grace Church, Brooklyn Heights, on Wednesday, 14th inst., at half-past one o'clock.

GRANBERY.—At his residence, 2,066 5th Av., on March 13, 1917, David Walke, beloved husband of Mary E. Peck Granbery, in his 68th year of age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

HANNAN.—March 12, 1917, Ellen T., beloved wife of Walter J. Hannan. Funeral Thursday at 9:30 A. M. from her late residence, 557 West 140th St.; thence to the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, 142d St., near Convent Av. Automobile cortege.

HICKS.—On March 12, Angie King, widow of Thomas Hicks and daughter of the late Dr. T. F. King and Sarah Arnold King. Funeral from her late residence, 230 West 59th St., at 2 P. M. March 14.

ISRAEL.—On Tuesday, March 13, 1917, Ernestine, daughter of Susan and the late Joseph Israel. Funeral services at her late residence, 150 East 72d St., Wednesday, March 14, 2:30 P. M. Interment New Orleans.

JEENS.—Libby, March 12, 1917. Funeral Thursday, March 15, 10 A. M., from her late residence, 134 Clarence Av., Arverne, L. I.

McCORMICK.—On March 13, 1917, James J. McCormick, beloved husband of the late Annie J. McCormick (nee Sweeney) and father of James S., Joseph A., Francis X., Anna T., and the Rev. Vincent A. McCormick, S. J. Funeral on Thursday at 9:30 A. M. from his late residence, 506 West 173d St., hence to the Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, 84th St. and Park Av., whence a solemn mass of requiem will be offered at 11 A. M. for the repose of his soul.

MacGREGOR.—At his home, 1,134 Pacific St., Brooklyn, on Monday, March 12, 1917, Walter Scott MacGregor, in his 70th year. Funeral services will be held at Fairchild's Parlors, 86 Lefferts Place, near Grand Av., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, March 14, 1917, 9:45 A. M.

MICHEL.—On March 12, Leopold, beloved husband of Rachel Michel and loving father of David, Hyman, Mrs. Hannah Stern, Mrs. Benjamin I. Igelheimer, Mrs. Jack Hirsch, Mrs. Julius Strauss, Fannie and Lillian Michel. Relatives, friends, members of Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum, and Congregation Temple Beth Elohim are respectfully invited to attend funeral services at Congregation Temple Beth Elohim, Keap St., Brooklyn, on Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

MORONEY.—John, March 12, at his residence, 1,776 2d Av., N. Y. C. Funeral on Thursday, March 15, at 10 A. M. from St. Ignatius's Church, 84th St. and Park Av.

PRICE.—On Tuesday, March 13, at his residence, 46 Fairview Terrace, West New York, N. J., Alexander Price, beloved husband of Mary Price, (nee Crowe.) Notice of funeral hereafter.

RICHARDS.—Ada Townsend Richards, wife of Ferdinand B. Richards, at their home at Binghamton, N. Y., on March 12. She is survived by her husband, daughter Ruth, and brothers, Ralph S. Townsend and Dr. Frederick M. Townsend of New York City.

RIGGS.—On March 12, 1917, Henry B., in his 74th year. Funeral services at St. George's Centennial Chapel, Stuyvesant Square and 16th St., Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Interment private.

SHULTZ.—At Liberty, N. Y., March 11, 1917, after a lingering illness, Rev. Julius J. Shultz, beloved husband of Hattie Osterndorff, in the 37th year of his age. Funeral services from the Church of the Holy Communion, Liberty, N. Y., Thursday, March 15, 3 P. M. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery at convenience of the family.

STAMPER.—Suddenly, on March 12, 1917, Louis Stamper, beloved father of Alice Dimant. Funeral services, from Meyers & Co.'s Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., on Thursday, March 15, at 10 A. M.

STAMPER.—You are hereby requested to attend the funeral services of our late right worshipful brother, Louis Stamper, at Meyers Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., on Thursday, March 15, at 10 A. M.—Metropolitan Lodge, No. 273, F. and A. M.
PHILIP H. HOVER, Master.

STERN.—Suddenly, at his home, Morris, beloved son of the late Jacob and Eva Stern and brother of Louis, Edwin, and Jesse, Mrs. Simon Schwarzman, and Mrs. Frances Benjamin. Funeral Thursday, March 15, 10:30 A. M., from his late residence, 1,099 Lorimer St., Greenpoint, Brooklyn. Relatives and friends, also members of Cremieux Benevolent Society of New York, Osceola Council, R. A., 759; Temple Beth-E, and Progress Club of Greenpoint, are respectfully invited to attend.

SUHR.—On Tuesday, March 13, 1917, William M. Suhr, beloved husband of Edith Suhr, (nee Gobber,) in his 34th year. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 1,315 Teller Av., near 169th St., on Thursday, March 15, at 9 P. M. Interment private.

THACHER.—At Nordhoff, Cal., March 10, 1917, Elizabeth Baldwin Thacher, widow of Professor Thomas A. Thacher of Yale University and granddaughter of Roger Sherman, in her ninety-fourth year. New Haven papers please copy.

TINKER.—On Monday, March 12, at Winnipeg, Manitoba, Charles Almerin Tinker, in his 80th year. Funeral services at Fairchild's Parlors, 86 Lefferts Place, near Grand Avenue, Brooklyn, on Sunday, March 18, 1917, at 3 P. M.

TURNER.—On Monday, March 12, 1917, at his residence, 35 Mount Morris Park West, William E. Turner, husband of Mary W. Gardner. Funeral service at St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church, 126th St. and Madison Av., on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

WALSH.—At Stamford, Conn., March 13, 1917, Louise C. Walsh, daughter of the late A. Robertson and Emily M. Walsh. Funeral service will be held at her late residence, St. John's Place, Thursday, at 4 P. M.

WARD.—Suddenly, on March 12, at his residence, 56 East 91st St., Francis E. Ward, beloved husband of Louisa Parmly Ward and son of the late Charles H. and Mary M. Ward, in the 58th year of his age. Funeral at the Church of the Beloved Disciple, 89th St., between Park and Madison Avs., Thursday, March 15, at 11 o'clock. Members of the fraternity of Delta Psi are requested to meet in the vestibule of the church at 10:45. Interment at convenience of the family.

WARD.—The Society of the Early Eighties of Columbia College announces with the deepest sorrow the death of Francis Erick Ward, '81, President from 1912 to 1916. The members of this society are requested to attend the funeral of their late associate at the Church of the Beloved Disciple, 69 East 89th St., on Thursday, March 15, at 11 A. M.
AMBROSE D. HENRY, President.
GIRARD ROMAINE, Secretary.

WEBER.—John. John Hancock Lodge, No. 70, F. and A. M.—Brethren: You are urgently requested to attend Masonic services to be held over the remains of our late brother, John Weber, at 532 5th St., Manhattan, Wednesday evening, March 14, at 8 o'clock sharp.
JACOB DEWALD, Master.
MORRIS HIRSCH, Secretary.

YOUNKER.—On March 11, suddenly, en route from Douglas, Arizona, Falk, son of the late Lippman and Gertrude Younker, age 46. Funeral services West End Synagogue, West 82d St., Thursday, at 10 A. M. It is earnestly requested no flowers be sent.

YOUNKER.—Falk. The Young Men's Hebrew Association invites its members and sons to attend the funeral services of Mr. Falk Younker, to be held at the West End Synagogue, 158 West 82d St., on Thursday, 10 A. M.

YOUNKER.—At a special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Council of Young Men's Hebrew and Kindred Associations the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The board has learned with deep regret of the untimely death of Falk Younker, who so faithfully gave of his best to the cause of young men's Hebrew and kindred associations for more than twenty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That the board desires to place on record its sense of the deep loss sustained not only by the members of the board, but also by the Jewish community throughout the United States.

(Signed)
JULIAN W. MACK, Pres.
SAMUEL GREENBAUM, 1st Vice Pres.
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## Died.

YOUNKER.—The Directors of the Emanu-El Brotherhood are requested to attend the funeral of our late Director, Falk Younker, Thursday morning, March 15, 10 o'clock, at the West End Synagogue, 82d St. and Columbus Av.
JOSEPH SILVERMAN, President.

YOUNKER.—Falk.

Whereas, Falk Younker had served the Manhattan Y. M. H. A. splendidly as organizer and Director;

Whereas, He had served the institution particularly well in influencing for good many young men; and

Whereas, He had been held in affectionate regard and friendship by all the members of the associaton with whom he came into contact,

The officers and Board of Directors of the Manhattan Y. M. H. A., appraised of the death of Falk Younker, Field Secretary of the Council of Young Men's Hebrew and Kindred Associations, express their profound and poignant sorrow.

BENDIX.—John L., 552 West 184th St., March 12. Funeral private.

BERGLAND.—August, Bellevue Hospital, March 12, aged 50. Funeral today.

BERRY.—Annie, 364 West 127th St., March 12. Funeral today.

BRENNING.—Phoebe, March 10. Funeral, 403 East 29th St., today, 2 P. M.

COLLIER.—Ruby T., 272 West 131st St., March 11. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

CONNOR.—Charles, 1,557 Avenue A, March 12, aged 10. Funeral today, 1:30 P. M.

COUGHLIN.—Jane, March 12. Funeral, 263 West 118th St., tomorrow, 10 A. M.

CRAWFORD.—Euphemia, 2,287 Loring Place, Bronx, March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

DONALDSON.—Mary, 544 West 126th St., March 11. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

DOWDELL.—Thomas, 415 West 20th St., March 11. Funeral today.

FARRELL.—Margaret, 127 West 62d St., March 12. Funeral notice later.

FRANKOWSKI.—Francis, 1,348 Stebbins Av., Bronx, March 12. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

GALWAY.—Harry T., March 11. Funeral 1,432 Amsterdam Av.

GOTTLIEB.—Edward O., 119 Avenue A, March 12. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

GROSS.—Emmet, 453 West 162d St., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

HABIG.—Michael A., 332 East 34th St., March 12. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

HALLMAN.—Martin, 547 West 49th St., March 12. Funeral today.

HARTNETT.—Alice S., 805 East 222d St., March 10, aged 39. Funeral today.

HAYN.—Mathilde S., 112 East 77th St., March 12. Funeral private.

HICKEY.—Jane, 492 8th Av., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

LEAHY.—Thomas, 308 East 83d St., March 12. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

LEHMAN.—Joseph, 3,915 Broadway, March 12, aged 62. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

LYNCH.—James F., 417 West 42d St., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

McCABE.—Sarah B., 507 West 47th St., March 11. Funeral today, 1 P. M.

McDONALD.—Cecelia, 508 West 53d St., March 10. Funeral today, 1:30 P. M.

MEIER.—Emma, 2,872 Briggs Av., Bronx, March 12.

MORAN.—Michael, 521 West 144th St., March 11. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

MORR.—Edward T., 389 1st Av., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 1:30 P. M.

SMITH.—Katherine E., 127 East 93d St., March 12. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

SULLIVAN.—Marcella, Pleasant Plains, S. I., March 11, aged 23. Funeral today.

WOLF.—George, 773 St. Anne's Av., Bronx, March 11. Funeral today.

Brooklyn.

ALLEN.—Catherine K., 876 Dean St., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

BAYHA.—Mathilda, 201 Ridgewood Av., March 12, aged 49. Funeral service today.

CROWLEY.—William, 2,538 Tilden Av., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

DAVIDSON.—Emma S., 116 Rutledge St., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

DUFFY.—Bridget, 820 President St., March 12, aged 75.

FREESE.—Minnie, 449 Central Av., March 12. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

GILMARTIN.—Thomas, 68 Huntington St., March 11. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

HESSLER.—Charles, 251 Stockholm St., March 11. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

HIGGINS.—Regina, 515 11th St., March 12. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

HOUSTON.—Mary, 453 3d St., March 11. Funeral private.

IRMSCHER.—John, 269 Central Av., March 12, aged 57. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

KAASE.—Marie, 710 East 3d St., March 12. Funeral service today.

KLEIN.—Elizabeth, 60 Russell St., March 12, aged 67. Funeral tomorrow.

LOUISE.—Sister Frances, St. Joseph's Convent, March 13. Funeral today, 10:30 A. M.

McALEER.—Annie, 21 Cornelia St., March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

McARDLE.—John, 43 Ryerson St., March 12. Funeral notice later.

MAISCH.—John G., 65 Foxall St., March 12, aged 42. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

MARTIN.—Lucie D., 473 Flatbush Av., March 11, aged 51. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

MURPHY.—Mary A., 178 North 8th St., March 12. Funeral March 16.

PURCELL.—Honore, 230 East 31st St., March 11.

RUSSELL.—Mary C., Bensonhurst Sanitarium, March 13. Funeral notice later.

SANDERS.—Eliza, 321 East 72d St., March 11. Funeral today, 1 P. M.

STEINMACHER.—Henry, 197 Irving Av., March 11, aged 38. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

SPENCE.—Harry, 335 Chauncey St., March 11, aged 46. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

STRZYNKI.—Caroline, 2,220 Beverly Road, March 12, aged 71. Funeral private.

WIGGINS.—Charles H., 154 Ashford St., March 11, aged 43. Funeral service today.

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Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

ALEXOVITZ.—Leonard S., 556 South 12th St., Newark, March 11, aged 43.

BEAKES.—Edward T., 180 Lexington Av., Jersey City, March 13, aged 2. Funeral today.

BELLO.—Rita, 321 Monroe St., Hoboken, March 11.

BERGIN.—Martin C., 15 Bryant Av., Jersey City, March 12.

BRADLEY.—Julia E., 364 East Kinney St., Newark, March 13. Funeral tomorrow.

COLEMAN.—Catherine, 76 Fairmount Av., Jersey City, March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

CRANE.—Hester, 126 Union St., Newark, March 11.

FITZGIBBON.—Andrew W., 236 6th St., Jersey City, March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 8 A. M.

FLAHERTY.—Julia, 112 North 4th St., Newark, March 12. Funeral tomorrow, 8:15 A. M.

GERRIS.—William J., 62 Hamburg Place, Newark, March 13.

HABERSAAT.—William, 319 Mountain Road, West Hoboken, March 11, aged 52.

HARNETT.—Robert, 75 Poplar St., Jersey City, March 11, aged 50.

HASEMANN.—Sybilla, 149 Springfield Av., Newark, March 11, aged 54.

HEGEMAN.—Abbie, 135 Bentley Av., Jersey City, March 13.

JOHNSON.—Abbie, 135 Bentley Av., Jersey City, March 13. Funeral tomorrow.

MOCKRIDGE.—Oscar B., 244 Belleville Av., Newark, March 11. Funeral today.

NEST.—Mary, 475 Springfield Av., Newark, March 12, aged 69.

RIMBECK.—Theresa, 45 Willow Terrace, Hoboken, March 11, aged 57.

ROBSON.—William G., 3,837 Boulevard, Jersey City, March 13, aged 11.

STROHLE.—John S., 487 Spring St., West Hoboken, March 11, aged 54.

THOMPSON.—Charles W., 286 Mountain Road, West Hoboken, March 11.

VENTOLO.—Vettoria, 542 Newark Av., Jersey City, March 12. Funeral today.

WINTERMUTE.—Mary, 225 Mount Pleasant Av., Newark, March 11.

WOERZ.—Rudolph, Newark, March 11, aged 30. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

Long Island.

LAMBERT.—Frederick, Corona, March 11. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

MADDEN.—Michael, 726 Vernon Av., Long Island City, March 11.

MORAN.—Theresa, Corona, March 10.

SCHALLEBAUM.—Alfred, Lindenhurst, March 12, aged 67. Funeral tomorrow.

SMITH.—Annie, Laurel Hill, March 12, aged 42. Funeral today.

## In Memoriam.

GRAVES.—Memory is the only gift that grief can ever know. In loving memory of my beloved mother, Sarah Dean Graves, died March 14, 1910.

LINCH.—Mary A. In memory of a devoted mother; died March 14, 1910.

MILLS.—In loving remembrance of Edgar Ryder Mills, who died March 14, 1903. Gone, but not forgotten.

POORE.—In ever loving memory of our devoted mother, Alice M. Poore, who died March 14, 1912. May her soul rest in peace. MINNIE and JOSIE.

DOWD.—Frances J., mass St. Patrick's Cathedral, Newark, today, 8 A. M.

FINNIGAN.—James, mass St. James's Church, Newark, today, 8:30 A. M.

HARDING.—Catherine T., mass St. Antoninus's Church, Newark, today, 8:30 A. M.

McDONNELL.—Mary, mass St. Columba's Church, Newark, tomorrow, 8 A. M.

MURRAY.—Patrick, mass St. Antoninus's Church, Newark, March 16, 8:30 A. M.

PRENDERGAST.—Abina, mass St. James's Church, Newark, today, 8:30 A. M.

SULLIVAN.—Kate, mass Paulist Fathers' Church, tomorrow, 8 A. M.

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# PLOT TO START WAR IN SOUTH AMERICA

## Germans Said to Have Engaged in Widespread Intrigues to Cause a Conflict.

## URUGUAY IN SERBIA'S ROLE

### Economic, Religious, and Political Influences Reported Used in Furtherance of Scheme.

German intrigue in South America is intended to involve that continent in a general war as well as to infuse into the countries there a distrust for the United States, according to information given to a NEW YORK TIMES representative yesterday by a prominent business man closely in touch with Latin-American affairs and confirmed in many details by resident South Americans both in private and official life. Economic, religious and political influences are reported to have been used in almost every country south of the Panama Canal to stir up international feuds there when desired and internal dissension when the countries were so situated geographically as not to fit into the more general scheme.

The Republic of Uruguay, situated across the Rio de la Plata from Argentina, was scheduled, according to THE TIMES informant, to play the role of Serbia in the South American war. For many years consideralbe tension has existed between these two countries as the result of a question of jurisdiction in the river. Argentina has gone to considerable expense to improve the river for navigation, while Uruguay has benefited from this without bearing any share in the expense. South Americans say that it has been a matter of common knowledge for several years that a secret alliance existed between Brazil and Uruguay by means of which Uruguay planned to protect herself against possible trouble with Argentina.

**Attitude of Chile.**

This question was taken up recently in the newspapers in Chile, where the attitude of that country in the event of trouble involving Brazil and Argentina over the Uruguay embroglio was freely discussed. It was the consensus of opinion at that time that Chile would be forced by policy to align herself with Brazil and Uruguay. This would place Argentina between two fires and would force her to seek alliances which might divide the forces against her and give her an opportunity to mobilize her army and navy to meet the situation.

Peru and Bolivia probably would furnish this diversion, according to THE TIMES informant. Officials regarded this as likely in view of long standing ill-feeling which has existed between Chile and Peru over the possession of the nitrate beds in Northern Chile and between Chile and Bolivia because of a belief in that country of the responsibility of Chile for Bolivia's loss of an outlet to the sea. It is said that none of these facts has escaped the attention of the German agents, and that they have been utilized extensively.

Ecuador, Colombia, and Venezuela are not expected to be drawn into the conflict. The possibility of war between Colombia and Ecuador over boundary disputes has been and still is regarded as imminent, while internal disorders already are under way, or may be expected at any time. The last revolution in Ecuador has not yet been completely crushed, and Concho, the leader in the past uprising in Esmeralda province, is enjoying his freedom as the result of a general amnesty granted by the present Government. A number of armed bands are operating not far from Guayaquil and could be counted on to furnish the nucleus to a new uprising at any time.

Preparations for revolutions in Colombia and Venezuela have been under way for some time past. Arms and ammunition and even airplanes have been shipped to points along the coast in anticipation of trouble sometime in March. An ammunition agent of European extraction, who acted for General Victoriano Huerta in Mexico and is believed to have been implicated with him in German plots to invade that country from the United States, has been in close touch with Venezuelan revolutionists and is reported to have shipped considerable quantities of arms and ammunition to some point on the Colombian border from which the majority of Venezuelan revolutions have started.

General Carranza is said to have played an important role in stirring up dissension in South America. Whether he personally has been responsible for it or has been the victim of some of the men around him who have been in touch with German intrigue has not yet been made clear. It is stated definitely, however, that Isidio Fabela, the Mexican Minister to Argentina, has been active in his work against the United States. Fabela has visited most of the countries south of the Equator and has been received enthusiastically in all of them with the exception of Brazil and Uruguay.

**Power of Clerical Faction.**

South American officials here yesterday explained that the conservative elements of nearly all South American countries were guided by the clerical faction, which in turn took its leaning from the Spanish conservatives. This has been notably pro-German until recently, when utterances from the Vatican have caused it to alter somewhat. They said, however, that this alteration in viewpoint had not yet affected South America and would have to be reckoned with. This influence is particularly noticeable in Ecuador, Peru, and Colombia, where the Conservatives are in power and are credited with a pronounced pro-German sympathy.

Eduardo Higginson, the Peruvian Consul General here, said yesterday he considered the German intrigue in Peru serious, but that he believed premature disclosures and speedy action by the Government had placed it under control. A number of arrests developed the fact there that Germany intended to capture the Peruvian Navy, according to the Consul, and use it against possible enemies of Germany. Several submarines which were purchased by Peru some years ago and since have been lying unused in her harbors were intended for use in the Pacific by Germans, it is affirmed.

## APPAM SENT RADIO ON DEC. 8.

### Interned Prize Informed Germans of Situation Here on That Date.

NORFOLK, Va., March 13.—Discovery of a secret wireless outfit on the prize steamer Appam here has been followed by evidence that Lieutenant Berg, the German prize commander, as late as Dec. 8 had sent radio messages to a German ship. There is evidence that Berg had some knowledge of the British code and it is believed that he got information of value through to Germany. The messages sent on Dec. 8 concerned consideration of the German situation by President Wilson, and in Congress.

## WAX AND HUMBERT HELD.

### German Suspects Must Face Charges in Court.

Max Hans Wax, the German who was arrested a few nights ago charged with grand larceny, and in whose possession the police found a wireless outfit, was arraigned in the West Side Court yesterday and was held by Magistrate Simms in $3,500 bail for trial on the charge of swindling Frank Sternberg of 8 West Fifty-second Street out of $2,000, with which money Wax, according to the story told by Sternberg, said he intended to make duplicates of $1,000 American Treasury notes which had been seized by the German military authorities in Belgium. Wax said he was in Belgium when the money was seized, and had a record of the serial numbers on the notes.

Jean Humbert, under indictment in Hudson County, N. J., charged with having explosives in his possession, was arraigned in the Tombs Court yesterday and ordered held pending extradition proceedings, which are to be instituted by the New Jersey authorities. Humbert was arrested at Wall and Broad Streets on Monday.

There were no new developments in the India plot case yesterday. The Grand Jury now has that case before it, and it is expected that indictments will be returned before the end of the week.

### Mischa Violin's Recital.

Mr. Mischa Violin, whose name offers valuable material for the press agent, appeared for the first time in New York yesterday at a recital in Aeolian Hall. It was a violin recital, and the program included Beethoven's D major sonata, the chaconne from Bach's D minor solo suite, Paganini's D major concerto, and a group of shorter pieces. Mr. Violin plays well; he shows the effect of good schooling, intelligent study, and aptitude for the art. Greater distinction than this does not seem to belong to him at present. It may come to him in the course of artistic and intellectual development, for Mr. Violin is young, evidently, and development lies before him. He plays sincerely and intelligently, without attempt at personal display, and his performance gave pleasure to his listeners.

## THEATRICAL NOTES.

The first performance of J. Hartley Manners's new play, "Out There," has been announced for Tuesday night, March 27. The last performance of "The Harp of Life" will take place the preceding Saturday night. The cast engaged to support Laurette Taylor in the new piece include Frank Kemble Cooper, Lynn Fontanne, Louis Edgard, Herbert Druce, J. M. Kerrigan, Colin Campbell, Douglas Ross, Leslie Ryecroft, Eleanor Scott L'Estelle, and Lillian Brennard.

Lew Fields placed Frank Mandel's play, "Bosom Friends," in which he has been playing on tour, in rehearsal again yesterday with the cast that will appear with him at the Liberty beginning April 9. John Mason and Irene Fenwick have been engaged for two of the roles.

The date for the first performance of Ossip Dymow's "Nju," with which Joseph Urban and Richard Ordynski will begin their tenancy of the Bandbox, has been changed to Thursday evening, March 22. Henry Stanford has been added to the cast.

Laurette Taylor and Henry Stanford will repeat Frank Eagan's sketch, "One Word," which Miss Taylor has presented on several previous occasions, at the entertainment to be given under the auspices of the Twelfth Night Club Friday afternoon at the Princess.

Ruth St. Denis will appear with a company of her pupils from her dancing school in California next week at the Palace.

Marilynn Miller, one of the principals in the Winter Garden revue, has signed a ten years' contract with the Shuberts.

Three hundred members of the Actors' Church Alliance will see the performance of "The Professor's Love Story" at the Knickerbocker next Monday night. George Arliss, who is appearing in the Barrie comedy, is President of the organization.

Frederick Palmer will lecture on "The Battles of the Somme" tomorrow and Friday nights at Aeolian Hall. These will be Mr. Palmer's last appearances here before returning to the front as the accredited correspondent with the British Army.

## SUFFRAGISTS SEE VICTORY.

### Elated by Albany Majority, They Prepare for Campaign.

Suffrage workers are pleased by the passage by the Legislature of the suffrage amendment to the State Constitution, which is to be submitted to the voters of New York for ratification. Mrs. Norman de R. Whitehouse, Chairman of the New York State Woman Suffrage Party, said:

> The passage of the woman suffrage resolution by this Legislature opens the campaign to carry the measure at the next general election, Nov. 6 of this year. Our prospects of victory are brilliant. Every political party has indorsed the principle of woman suffrage in its national platform. The leaders of the parties feel a moral responsibility in indorsing woman suffrage. President Wilson showed this plainly in the telegram he recently sent to the President of the Tennessee Senate regarding the Presidential suffrage for women in that State when he said: 'It seems to me the moral obligation is complete.'
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> Woman suffrage has been coming East very fast since the beginning of 1917. To one familiar with the situation, as indicated by the many recent triumphs and the great development of the organization of the New York State Woman Suffrage Party, victory here next November looks certain.

Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw, Chairman of the Legislative Committee of the New York Woman Suffrage Party, said:

> Naturally the men have voted in favor of the resubmission because they feel that there is a greater backing of suffrage sentiment in their own districts. Another thing that has impressed me in talking with legislators is their interest in the way our suffrage strength in the Electoral College has leaped from 91 to 135 Electoral votes in the last few weeks.

Mrs. Laidlaw also expressed the view that on account of the growing power of Western women in national elections, the men of New York would not care to be "governed by the women of other States."

## THE FLONZALEY QUARTET.

### Music by Schumann, Beethoven, and George Templeton Strong.

At the last concert of the Flonzaley Quartet last evening in Aeolian Hall the program comprised Schumann's F major quartet—the third of the master's three string quartets to be played in Aeolian Hall in a week—the first of Beethoven's "Rasoumoffsky" quartets, and a trio by George Templeton Strong for two violins and viola, called "The Village Music Director." The last was new; and was dedicated to the late Edward J. de Coppet by the composer, who is an American, a New Yorker, living in Switzerland. Not much of his music has been heard in his native city, but symphonic compositions by him have been played by the Philharmonic Society, of which his father years ago was President.

His trio is program music of an innocent sort. The first movement, marked "in the style of the 'Pastoral Symphony,'" intended to suggest "blue sky, rolling meadows, feathered songsters, and murmuring brooks"; the second the love of the village musician, and the third is a humoresque, depicting the master with his two unruly pupils blundering in their lesson in fugue, till he falls asleep, to be wakened by them to further wrath and discouragement. Mr. Strong's music in the first two movements is pleasing and melodious, very agreeably written, and effectively put upon the three instruments. The third is ingenious, perhaps not quite so obviously amusing as the composer's intentions, though these could be followed in its development without undue strain upon the listener's attention.

The Flonzaley Quartet played this music with much of their accustomed finish, purity of intonation, beauty of tone, and balance of the parts. If any exception were to be made, it would be in the scherzo and finale of Schumann's quartet, especially as to the rhythmic incisiveness of the scherzo figure, and the slight excess of tone given by the two graver instruments.

## 'LAKME' REVIVAL NEXT WEEK

### Delibes's Opera at the Metropolitan for the First Time in Ten Years.

Delibes's "Lakme," with Barrientos in the title rôle of a famous operatic sister to "Madama Butterfly," or the heroines of the "Pearl Fishers" and "L'Africaine," will be staged at the Metropolitan for the first time in ten years at the next week's Saturday matinée. That day, March 24, ends the nineteenth week of the season, with only one month to follow, and the melodious French opera is the thirty-eighth production in this period, as well as officially the last of the novelties and revivals promised last Fall. Martinelli and De Luca will be the two English officers in the British India service, and Rothier will be Lakme's father, the Brahmin priest and revolutionist leader.

Other operas next week are a special matinée of "Madama Butterfly" on Monday, with Farrar, Botta, and De Luca; Monday evening, "Meistersinger," Gadski, Urlus, Whitehill, Braun; Wednesday, "Aïda," Caruso, Muzio, Matzenauer, Amato, Henri Scott; Thursday, "Thaïs," Farrar, Botta, Amato, and Friday, "La Bohême," Caruso, Alda, Amato, and Didur.

At the Italian benefit concert next Sunday the singers are Caruso, Amato, Muzio, Perini, Martinelli, and De Luca, with orchestra and chorus under Setti, Papi, and Polacco.

### The Symphony Repeats Beethoven.

The New York Symphony Society repeated a special Beethoven program yesterday at Carnegie Hall, where another brilliant audience heard Kreisler, Casals, and Bauer in the master's triple concerto. Two more concerts, with Louise Homer as the star, will end the series here on Thursday afternoon and Saturday evening. The Damrosch orchestra then goes on a ten weeks' tour to the Pacific Coast, giving seventy-six concerts in sixty-seven days, and fifty of these with Efrem Zimbalist, a record engagement, it is said, before the players return to New York on May 23.

### Amateur Orchestras to Compete.

A prize contest for amateur orchestras in Manhattan and the Bronx is announced by the People's Institute, 70 Fifth Avenue, the entries closing March 27 and the "elimination" rounds taking place during April in the public schools. Admission will be free to each neighborhood, the orchestras will play in pairs, and the audiences will act as judges, voting a sealed ballot as to which contestant shall go on. Cash prizes of $75, $50, and $25 will be awarded at the finals, held either in Cooper Union or Washington Irving Hall.

## MUSIC NOTES.

The Society of Friends of Music announces four extra concerts, three devoted to sonatas of Beethoven, played by Jacques Thibaud and Harold Bauer, on April 12, 20, and 27, at the Ritz-Carlton, and the last on May 2 to a cycle of works by Ernest Bloch, based on Jewish literature, and conducted by Bodanzky.

Alvin E. Gillett, baritone, and Harold H. Hall, Pianist, are appearing in a concert this evening at the West Side Y. M. C. A.

Greta Torpadie, soprano, and Richard Buhlig, pianist, assist at a lecture in the Biltmore ballroom tonight by C. F. Stoddard.

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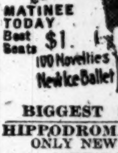

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Dated March 2, 1917.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY,
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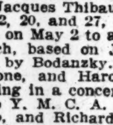

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### DOUBLES BATTLE IS BEGUN

### Miss Walsh and Miss Tyndale Defeat the Misses Winn and Della Torre in Hard-Fought Match.

The field of contestants for the women's national lawn tennis championship in singles narrowed down to eight players as a result of the competition yesterday at the Seventh Regiment Armory. In the upper half of the draw there are now ensconced in fourth-round brackets Mrs. De Forest Candee, Miss Caroma Winn, Miss Marie Wagner, and Miss Margaret Taylor. The lower half shows the names of Miss Marion Vanderhoef, Miss Gladys Dowling, Miss Helen Pollak, and Miss Eleanor Goss.

Play in the doubles budded forth yesterday as a rival in interest to the singles competition, and all but two matches of the first and second rounds were completed. This section of the tournament began with an entry of seventeen teams, of which many experts considered that made up of Miss Marie Wagner and Miss Margaret Taylor the strongest.

Only two of the singles encounters went to three sets. In one of these Miss Marion Vanderhoef triumphed over Miss Gertrude Della Torre at 3—6, 6—3, 6—0, and in the other Miss Agnes O'Gorman exhibited some spirited play before she was vanquished by Miss Gladys Dowling at 6—4, 5—7, 6—4. This was the closest and best fought contest of the day. Miss Wagner, who is coming more and more to be considered the probable new singles champion to succeed Miss Bjurstedt, scored her advance of yesterday at the expense of Mrs. J. Anderson at 6—4, 6—1.

The latter played some excellent tennis in the earlier rounds, particularly against Mrs. Huff, and for a time her play was such as to cause considerable bother to Miss Wagner. Mrs. Anderson played a chop stroke, and this served to drive the ball along with only a low rebound from the boards. The fact that Miss Wagner was somewhat confused by this style of play and by the accurate placing which accompanied the strokes made the contest a merry battle during the early games. Once Miss Wagner gained her acustomed stride, however, she forced her way through to victory. The second set found Mrs. Anderson completely outplayed.

The match which Miss Taylor won from Miss Holden was just the reverse of that between Miss Wagner and Mrs. Anderson, for in this contest the victor held easy sway during the opening set, only to be pressed to a hard contest in the second. The final score was 6—1, 7—5.

Undoubtedly the best match from the point of view of the spectator was the doubles encounter in which Miss Walsh and Miss Tyndale defeated Miss Caroma Winn and Miss Gertrude Della Torre. Three sets were necessary before the issue was determined, with the score 4—6, 6—3, 10—8. Miss Winn and Miss Della Torre were within sight of victory in the third set, for they were leading at 5—2 in games. From then on, however, the tide turned against them. Their opponents ran off three games to bring the set to deuce, and by sharp playing at the net Miss Walsh and Miss Tyndale gained the final decision.

The summaries:

SINGLES.—Third Round—Mrs. De Forest Candee defeated Miss Dorothy Bigelow, 6—2, 6—3; Miss Caroma Winn defeated Mrs. T. D. Parker, 6—3, 6—3; Miss Marie Wagner defeated Mrs. J. Anderson, 6—4, 6—1; Miss Margaret Taylor defeated Miss B. Holden, 6—1, 7—5; Miss Marion Vanderhoef defeated Miss Gertrude Della Torre, 3—6, 6—3, 6—0; Miss G. Dowling defeated Miss O'Gorman, 6—4, 5—7, 6—4; Miss Helen Pollak defeated Miss I. Robinson, 6—4, 7—5; Miss E. Goss defeated Miss Hazel Gardner, 6—2, 7—5.

DOUBLES.—First Round—Miss B. Holden and Mrs. A. Humphries defeated Mrs. M. B. Huff and Mrs. Ingo Hartman, 6—0, 6—3.

Second Round—Mrs. J. Anderson and Miss Howe defeated Mrs. L. Manheimer and Mrs. Strauss, 6—1, 6—4; Miss I. Robinson and Miss A. Cragin defeated Miss Dorothy Bigelow and Miss H. Bernhard, 6—4, 6—3; Mrs. B. Holden and Mrs. A. Humphries defeated Miss Frank and Miss Sachs, 6—0, 6—1; Miss P. Walsh and Miss Tyndale defeated Miss C. Winn and Miss G. Della Torre, 4—6, 6—3, 10—8; Mrs. E. Lohst and Mrs. E. Waring defeated Mrs. Wescott and Miss Scott, 6—2, 6—1; Miss Marie Wagner and Miss Margaret Taylor defeated Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. A. G. Deane, 6—2, 6—3.

## KELLOCK WINS AT SQUASH.

### Strebeigh and Scott Also Advance in Class B at Columbia Club.

Three men reached the semi-final round in the Class B squash tennis tournament at the Columbia Club yesterday. Those who attained the advanced brackets were H. Kellock, R. L. Strebeigh, and A. C. Scott. Kellock went forward without encountering much opposition from K. Bulkley, whom he vanquished at 15—6, 15—7. Scott's triumph was gained at the expense of I. H. Cornell, with the score reading 15—13, 15—5.

The summaries:

CLASS B.—Third Round—H. W. Warner defeated L. A. Coffin, 15—12, 10—15, 15—4; Dr. Worcester won by default.

Fourth Round—H. Kellock defeated K. Bulkley, 15—6, 15—7; R. L. Strebeigh defeated H. C. Pelton, 15—3, 15—5; A. C. Scott defeated I. H. Cornell, 15—13, 15—5.

## RILEY AND TAYLOR SCORE.

### Stern, Too, Advances in Princeton Club Squash Tourney.

Three matches were played yesterday afternoon in the opening round of the Princeton Club squash tennis championship. Those who advanced to second round brackets were A. W. Riley, the holder of the club championship; John Taylor, considered to be one of his most formidable rivals for the honor this year, and K. G. Stern.

Riley's victory was scored over E. Ellsworth, Jr., and although the former was pressed to 18—13 to win the first game, he triumphed rather easily in the second at 15—8. Taylor defeated Harold Tobey at 15—6, 15—8, and Stern was victorious over H. D. Harvey at 15—6, 15—7.

## GRILL HARVARD ATHLETICS.

### Committee to Seek Cause of Lack of Interest in Track Sports.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 13.—An Investigating Committee has been appointed at the instigation of the Harvard Crimson to investigate track athletics and report what the trouble is with the sport at Harvard and to make recommendations for placing it on a winning basis. On this committee are Captain Teschner, Harry Minot, Westmore Wilcox, Ted Clark, track manager; William H. Meeker, President of the Crimson, and Robert C. Kelley, representing the newspapermen. The Crimson's editorial, which started the inquiry, read in part:

"These are facts, and facts that point to one conclusion: 'Something is rotten in the state of Denmark.'

"Without doubt there is a wealth of possible point-winners in Colgate, if proper pressure could be applied to force them to come out. There are coaches on the field ready to aid men in every possible way. A track management and a graduate track committee exist for the supervision and development of track teams at Harvard. In other words, Harvard has raw material, an adequate plant, and skilled workers, but cannot turn out the finished product. What is Harvard going to do about the track team?"

### Wolverines Have Spring Drill.

Candidates for the 'varsity football team at the University of Michigan are holding conditioning practice in the gymnasium. Spring practice may be ordered late next month.

## GIANTS HOLD BATTING BEE.

### Pound Dallas Pitchers Hard and Win by 15 to 2.

*Special to The New York Times.*

MARLIN, Texas, March 13.—The Giants proved rather rude hosts to the Dallas Texas leaguers here this afternoon. A severe pounding of three visting pitchers enabled them to defeat their guests by the one-sided score of 15 to 2.

For the first time since reaching the training camp, Manager McGraw lined up his full force of regulars on one team. Burns, Robertson, and McCarty, who have been playing with the Yannigans, joined forces with the rest of the team. Waite Hoyt, the Brooklyn schoolboy, was the only youngster in the cast. He was detailed for pitching duty and worked the full game.

The visitors fell onto the youngster for two runs in the first round. Thereafter he held them safe, allowing but two hits through the remaining eight innings.

The Giants tied the score in their half. Burns walked and stole second after Herzog had popped out. Robertson tripled to centre field, scoring Burns. Davy scored on Zimmerman's out. Another run was scored in the third on Herzog's single and errors by the Dallas outfield and infield, and runs were scored in profusion through the next three innings, each round netting a trio.

Three doubles and a single scored three in the fourth round. In the fifth, with runners on first and second, Benny Kauff hit over the right-field fence for a home run.

By this time Manager McGraw was making substitutions freely. Each regular was relieved by a second-string man.

Jack Murray, who had replaced Burns in left, broke into the limelight by hitting a long drive over the fence in left centre.

The score:

| GIANTS. | AbR | H | Po | A | DALLAS. | AbR | H | Po | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Burns,lf | 3 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Smith,rf | 4 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Murray,lf | 1 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | McC'dless,cf | 3 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Herzog,2b | 4 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | Palmer,2b | 4 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Wagner,2b | 0 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Crouch,lf | 4 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Robertson,rf | 3 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | Murphy,1b | 4 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Thorpe,rf | 1 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Brownlow,3b | 4 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| Zim'man,3b | 3 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Augistus,ss | 2 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Young,3b | 1 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Brooks,c | 2 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Fletcher,ss | 3 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | Coleman,c | 1 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Kilduff,ss | 1 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | K'nigsm'k,p | 2 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| E. Kauff,cf | 4 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Scoggins,p | 0 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lobert,cf | 0 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Sewall,p | 1 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Holke,1b | 3 1 | 1 | 9 | 0 | | | | | |
| Rodriguez,1b | 1 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Total | 31 2 | 4 | 24 | 15 |
| McCarty,c | 2 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | | | | | |
| Rariden,c | 2 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | | | | | |
| Hoyt,p | 4 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | | | | | |
| Total | 36 15 | 16 | 27 | 15 | | | | | |

Errors—Fletcher, Kilduff, Holke, McCandless, Augistus, Coleman.

| | |
|---|---|
| Giants | 2 0 1 3 3 3 0 3 ..—15 |
| Dallas | 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 2 |

First base on errors—Dallas, 3. Two-base hits—Kauff, Holke, McCarthy, Burns. Three-base hit—Robertson. Home runs—Kauff, Murray. Sacrifice fly—Zimmerman. Stolen bases—Burns, Thorpe, (2,) Kilduff, Young. Double plays—Kilduff, Herzog, and Rodriguez. Bases on balls—Off Koeningsmark, 1; off Scoggins, 1; off Sewall, 2; off Hoyt, 3. Hits—Off Koenigsmark, 7 in 4 innings; off Scoggins, 7 in 2 innings. Struck out—By Hoyt, 6; by Koenigsmark, 1; by Scoggins, 1; by Sewall, 1. Wild pitch—Koenigsmark and Scoggins. Time of game—One hour and fifty minutes. Umpire—Mr. Schaefer.

## KERR CONQUERS TOPPING.

### Wins on Home Green in West Coast Amateur Golf Play.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BELLEAIR, Fla., March 13.—Close matches featured the first round in the west coast amateur golfing championship today. The gallery elected to follow Henry Topping, the 1916 champion, and H. K. Kerr, both of Greenwich, who were finalists in this same event last year, when Topping won in thirty-seven holes. Kerr was the winner at the home green today in a hard-fought match. Kenneth Eisman of Pittsburgh and Dr. C. H. Gardner of Providence furnished the real thrills of the championship fight by winning nineteen-hole matches. Eisman eliminated I. D. Robeson of Rochester, while Gardner came through with a notable victory after being 4 down and 5 to play to George Balch of Cincinnati.

## McCLURE LEADS ON LINKS.

### Wins Qualifying Round of Florida Championship with Card of 76.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 13.—With the annual tennis tournament over, most of the gallery transferred its interest today to the golf tourney for the championship of the State, which began on the links of the Palm Beach Golf Club. Ninety-six players entered in the qualifying round, which was won by A. G. McClure of Lakewood with a card of 76. Hugh L. Willoughby, Jr., of Philadelphia, who was the winner a year ago, had a bad round of 84, which placed him in the second flight. Among the other better known players competing are George Brokaw, Howard Whitney, William B. Averill, I. W. Kendall, P. H. B. Frelinghuysen, Quinten Feitner, and James R. Hyde.

## TO HOLD REGATTA JUNE 23.

### Hudson River Rowing Association Arranges Program of Races.

At a meeting of the Hudson River Rowing Association, held at the Waverly Boat Club last night, it was decided to hold the annual open regatta of the association on Saturday, June 23, over the course of the Active Boat Club, which is on the New Jersey side of the Hudson and opposite Eightieth Street. A Regatta Committee was appointed, of which George Brennert of the Active Boat Club is Chairman.

## McCOURT OFF IN THE VAN.

### Leads Lean in Match for Three-Cushion Title.

CLEVELAND, March 13.—Charles McCourt of this city won the first leg of his world's championship three-cushion billiard match with Horace Lean of Chicago tonight by 50 to 35 in sixty-five innings. Each had a high run of five. They will play two more legs tomorrow.

## YANKEE REGULARS SHOW REAL GINGER

### Play High-Grade Ball and Trim Second Team, 7 to 2—Bats as Rifles in Military Drill.

*Special to The New York Times.*

MACON, Ga., March 13.—The best baseball the Yankee regulars have played this Spring was exhibited by them today, when they beat the second team, 7 to 2, in a 5½ inning tilt. They fielded deftly and they batted hard. They cut loose more in the base running department than hitherto. There were flashes of first-class base running on both sides, the best individual instance being a dash from first to third by Angel Aragon on an infield out.

The pitching which the regulars pounded was done by youngsters and, truth to tell, was not good pitching. The first man they faced was Ed Monroe, and he performed capitally until he winded himself running out a two-base hit. He hit the ball to the centre field fence. He was wild when he went back to the mound, filled up the bases and then was laced for a three-bagger by Walter Pipp.

Monroe would have done much better if he had not made that two-bagger. McGraw, with his arm still sore, followed and had nothing to show. He was relieved in the fifth inning by Ferguson, who did exceedingly well in preventing the men whom McGraw had put on bases from scoring. Piercy, just over a lame arm, twirled well for the regulars. He had speed and a curve or two. Allen Russell was invincible until he took it easy. A slow ball, thrown with moist ball pantomime, on which he has been working this Spring, was encouragingly effective.

Two regulars were thrown out at the plate in the second inning. Aragon nipped one of them and Miller with a fine hurl from centre, landed the other. The fielding of the regulars was steady and sharp, and in team play, both in defense and offense, they showed progress. Al Walters cut down a base runner at second with the first real good throw from behind the plate made by one of the catchers so far. Magee and Peck led the batting.

Paddy Baumann of the infield forces arrived this morning, but not in time to shoulder a musket with his fellow Yanks. The rifle was introduced into the military drill this morning—not real rifles—the Yanks have not any of them, but bats to take the place of guns in the manual of physical exercises. Robert Shawkey reports that from various causes—he does not know exactly what—he has lost seven pounds. The heat of the last two days may be partly responsible.

The score by innings:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Second team | 0 0 1 0 0 1— | 2 | 6 | 3 |
| First team | 0 0 4 3 0 ..— | 7 | 9 | 0 |

Batteries—Monroe, McGraw, Ferguson, Nunamaker, and Shaw; Piercy, Russell, Walters, and Alexander. Hits—Magee, (2,) Aragon, Knaup, Shaw, Monroe, Gilhooley, High, Pipp, Baker, Peckinpaugh, (2,) Walters, Alexander. Three-base hit—Pipp. Two-base hits—Monroe, Gilhooley, Alexander. Hits—Off Monroe, 4 in three innings; off McGraw, 5 in one and one-third innings; off Ferguson, none in two-thirds inning; off Piercy, 3 in three innings; off Russell, 3 in three innings.

## RAIN CUTS ROBINS' WORK.

### Downpour Sends Players to Hotel After Brief Practice.

*Special to The New York Times.*

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 13.—The adoption of a new schedule calling for workouts only during the afternoon cost Manager Robinson's brigade nearly all its practice today. The players had hardly arrived at Whittington Park this afternoon when a typical Spring shower set in and continued for an hour. Robbie, however, kept his athletes at work for twenty minutes, when he called it a day, and sent his men back to the hotel.

With only twenty-one players on hand, Robinson decided this mornng to cut out the full nine-inning game each afternoon and play an abbreviated contest of six or seven innings, along with the usual practice stunts. The absence of the veterans Wheat, Stengel, Pfeffer, and Daubert has handicapped the team greatly, and in what games they have played it has been necessary to use pitchers for outfielders. On this account the twirlers have not had sufficient work, especially the youngsters. Daubert is expected tomorrow morning along with Catcher Snyder, who was called to his home in Pittsburgh on account of the death of his mother.

Umpire Hank O'Day of the National League staff arrived here this morning. President Ebbets is likely to have Hank do the umpiring in the Brooklyn-Red Sox series here and on the road, along with O'Loughlin. With the arrival of Daubert the military drills by the players will be begun.

### Syndicate Buys Providence Club.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 13.—The Providence International League Baseball Club was sold this afternoon by William H. Draper, its owner, to a syndicate of local men for $18,000. The meeting was held at the office of Mayor Gainer, in City Hall, and among the subscribers are Governor Beeckman and Senator Peter G. Gerry.

### Williams and Lynch Draw.

Kid Williams of Baltimore, the former bantamweight champion, and Joe Lynch of the west side fought a ten-round draw last night at the Pioneer Sporting Club. Both boxers exhibited cleverness, and the bout furnished action aplenty. In the semi-final six-round bout Johnny Carrol outpointed Danny Paresse.

### Lyceum A. C. Reopens Tonight.

Two ten-round bouts with bantamweights as the principals are the features of the program for the reopening of the Lyceum A. C. on East Fourth Street this evening. In the main bout Willie Astey will oppose Frankie Brown, and in the other ten-round session Benny Volgar and Young Benny will be the combatants.

## TILT VICTOR WITH CUE.

### Defeats Gray, 125 to 92, in Pocket Billiards Tourney.

Standing of the Players.

| | H.R. | W. | L. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| J. Howard Shoemaker | 39 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| William A. Tilt | 15 | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| Edward F. Raynolds | 29 | 4 | 1 | .800 |
| Cecil Munoz | 23 | 3 | 3 | .500 |
| Gustave Gardner | 22 | 2 | 4 | .333 |
| H. S. Osborne | 17 | 2 | 4 | .333 |
| Edward F. Gray | 23 | 1 | 5 | .166 |
| J. J. Maloney | 22 | 1 | 5 | .166 |

The course of the amateur pocket billiards championship tournament at the New York Athletic Club was a trifle sluggish yesterday for the reason that the scintillating play which has characterized so many of the matches heretofore was lacking during both the afternoon and evening games. The opening encounter of the day gave Cecil Munoz a victory over the much-defeated James J. Maloney, by a score of 125 to 65. In the evening William A. Tilt, the former Columbia University athlete, triumphed over the veteran contender in championship events, Edward F. Gray. The score in favor of Tilt was 125 to 92.

The scores:

AFTERNOON GAME.

**Cecil Munoz vs. James J. Maloney.**

Munoz—8 11 3 3 10 14 12 7 10 11 8 11 7 11 7—Total, 133. Scratches, 8; net, 125; high runs, 15 11 11.

Maloney—6 3 11 11 4 0 2 7 4 3 6 3 7 8—Total, 70. Scratches, 5; net, 65; high run, 14.

EVENING GAME.

**William A. Tilt vs. Edward F. Gray.**

Tilt—0 4 13 6 14 4 1 11 5 4 8 12 12 14 9 9 2—Total, 127. Scrotches, 2; net, 125; high runs, 15 13 15.

Gray—14 10 1 8 0 10 13 3 9 10 6 2 2 0 5 5—Total, 98. Scratches, 6; net, 92; high runs, 9 7.

## WANT WADSWORTH TO ACT.

### Boxing Law Supporters Hope He Will Head State Board.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 13.—An effort to make Governor Whitman withdraw his opposition to the present boxing law, which he has asked the Legislature to repeal, and appoint James W. Wadsworth, Sr., of Geneseo, father of United States Senator Wadsworth, as Chairman of the State Athletic Commission, was inaugurated here tonight by members of the Legislature opposed to the repeal of the present law. Senator L. W. H. Gibbs of Buffalo, said that Mr. Wadsworth had indicated his willingness to accept the place if he received absolute authority to control boxing.

Mr. Wadsworth at present is a member of the State Racing Commission. He was a member of the last Constitutional Convention, and is a former member of Congress.

Since Governor Whitman first asked for the repeal of the present boxing law supporters of the law have urged that Mr. Wadsworth be appointed Chairman of the Athletic Commission, and certain opponents of the law have said that they would cease their fight on boxing in New York State if Mr. Wadsworth would become head of the commission.

## KNOCKOUTS MARK TOURNEY.

### Eight Bouts End in Short Order in Crescent A. C. Contests.

An unusual number of short bouts marked the preliminary contests in the Crescent Athletic Club's final amateur boxing tournament for the season's point trophy, held in the gymnasium of the New Moon town house in Brooklyn. Fourteen bouts, in four separate classes, made up the program, and of this number eight ended before their scheduled distance of three rounds. A notable feature of the program was the fact that seven of the bouts ended in one-round knockouts, and the other ended the same way in the second session.

The feature bouts were witnessed in the 138-pound division, although in the lighter classes there was also an abundance of interesting competition. In the 138-pound class two of the bouts ended in one-round knockouts, and the other went the scheduled three rounds, furnishing the most interesting bout of the evening. The principals in this contest were James Sullivan, Union Settlement A. C., who last year was runner-up for the 125-pound metropolitan title, and H. F. Conrad, Dominican Lyceum. Sullivan displayed unusual cleverness throughout and literally blinded Conrad with a hail of gloves from every direction. Conrad, however, stuck to his task to the end, when the judges gave the bout to Sullivan.

F. Eisenstadt, New West Side A. C., successfully competed in two bouts in the 108-pound class, winning his first in one round and his second after a hard contest, by the judges' award. The finals will be decided tomorrow night, when the winner of the point trophy will also be decided.

## BOXING SUSPENSION LIFTED.

### Harlem S. C. Pays State Tax—Empire A. C. Show Off.

John J. Reisler, Manager of the Harlem Sporting Club, visited the offices of the State Athletic Commission at 41 Park Row yesterday afternoon, and deposited with Chairman Fred A. Wenck a certified check for the sum of $984,- with the request that this amount be forwarded immediately to the State Controller's office. This puts Reisler back into the good graces of the Boxing Commission, and automatically rescinds a suspension meted out to him by that board on Monday for non-payment of the State tax. Chairman Wenck announced later that Reisler's request that the check be forwarded by mail to the State Controller's office, had been carried out, and the show scheduled for the Harlem S. C. for Friday night will go on.

The bouts scheduled for the Empire A. C. this evening have been canceled because of the failure of the manager of the organization to pay the State tax as ordered by the Boxing Commission at its meeting Monday.

### Frankie Burns Outpoints Shea.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 13.—Frankie Burns of Jersey City outpointed Tommy Shea of New Haven in a fast twelve-round bout here tonight.

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## COLUMBIA DEFEATS PRINCETON IN TANK

### Local Swimmers Overwhelm Tigers for Second Time This Season, 34 to 19.

Columbia swimmers gave the Tigers the second drenching of the intercollegiate league season last night in the Columbia tank, and, using Captain Vollmer in only one event, the relay race, won without exertion by 34 to 19. The New Yorkers still have a clean slate of six league victories and no defeats, and, with only two more meets on the intercollegiate calendar, their path to a championship appears to be all clear ahead, since both Yale and Pennsylvania, their remaining adversaries, have been conquered once this Winter.

The Princetonians, water polo champions a season ago, drove another spike into their fastening at the top of the league ladder by scoring five touched goals and one foul against the Columbians. The final tally was 26 to 6.

The summaries:

600-Foot Relay Race.—Won by Columbia, (Walker, Howard, Herbert, Captain Vollmer;) Princeton, (Georgi, Holden, Morris, Mathiason,) second. Time—1:45 3-5.

Fancy Dive.—Won by Anderson, Princeton; Kasangian, Princeton, second; Mills, Columbia, third.

50-Yard Swim.—Won by Herbert, Columbia; Georgi, Princeton, second; Walker, Columbia, third. Time—0:26 2-5.

220-Yard Swim.—Won by Rogers, Columbia; Mathiason, Princeton, second; Hildebrand, Columbia, third. Time—2:57 1-5.

Plunge for Distance.—Won by Levie, Columbia, with a plunge of 69 feet 6 inches; Kinnard, Princeton, second, with 69 feet; Arrowsmith, Princeton, third, with 65 feet 8 inches.

100-Yard Swim.—Won by Herbert, Columbia; Howard, Columbia, second; Georgi, Princeton, third. Time—1:01 2-5.

WATER POLO.

| Princeton, (26.) | Position. | Columbia, (6.) |
|---|---|---|
| Gennert | G. | Cleveland |
| Latrobe | R.B. | Van de Water |
| Helm | L.B. | Rosen |
| N. Nourse | R.F. | Cochran |
| R. Nourse | L.F. | Noble |
| Warden | C. | Gibson |

Touched goals—R. Nourse, (3,) Warden, (2,) Wallach. Goals from fouls—Warden, Noble. Substitutions—Widenman for Helm, Wallach for Cochran, Cooper for Gibson. Referee—James Steen, New York A. C. Time of halves—Eight minutes each.

## DISCUSS GAME SITUATION.

### Members of Protective and Propagation Association Meet.

Representatives from all parts of the country met at the third annual conference of the American Game Protective and Propagation Association, which began its session yesterday at the Waldorf-Astoria. After an opening address by Chairman Frederic C. Walcott, the morning session was given over to the reading of papers and reports of the various committees on the breeding of special varieties.

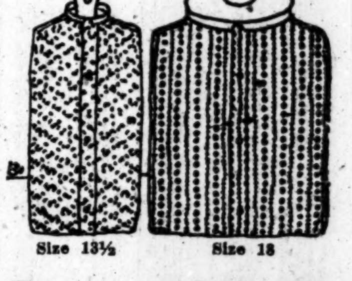
The most important part of the day's discussion was brought up over a report on the breeding of ruffed grouse by Alex G. MacVickar, head gamekeeper of the Childs-Walcott Game Preserve in Norfolk, Conn. Mr. MacVickar emphasized the fact that the ruffed grouse is dying out in many sections of its natural range, and strenuous measures are needed either to insure its future or to provide other species to take its place on the list of American game birds.

In his paper, which was read by E. A. Quarles, Director of the association, he stated that more birds are lost each year through the ravages of vermin than through slaughter by sportsmen. He also took issue with the term "sportsmen," stating that the action of many hunters and their lack of intelligent interest in the welfare of game species made the application of the term "sportsmen" to them gross flattery.

On the question as to what foreign species might profitably be introduced to replace the vanishing ruffed grouse, Mr. MacVickar proposed the hazel hen, a bird of the grouse species that is found all over Europe and Asia from Scandinavia to Japan. It is especially abundant in the Carpathian Mountains. In habits, colorations, and diet it closely resembles the partridge of this State, and in fact is known as the European ruffed grouse. He suggested that birds of that species should be imported under the supervision and with the cooperation of the United States Department of Biological Survey.

Dr. A. K. Fisher of the Department of Biological Survey answered the paper briefly, saying that funds were not now available for carrying out such a plan, but that the Government officials had given much thought to such a plan as Mr. MacVickar proposed. Dr. Fisher mentioned that the sand grouse, a bird of the high arid regions of Europe, would be a good species to introduce in the arid section in the West where game birds of all kinds are scarce.

Under the direction of E. A. Quarles, moving pictures of the raising of game birds on the New Jersey and New York State game farms were shown. In the New Jersey series, taken under the personal direction of Mr. Quarles, the English or "Old World" method of breeding and propagating was demonstrated, while the series taken at Sherburne under the supervision of Warwick S. Carpenter, representing Conservation Commisioner George D. Pratt, shows the American system as it is used on the New York State game farm. Mr. Quarles gave a running explanation of the pictures. The conference will continue today with a morning and an afternoon session, and will come to a close with the annual dinner at 7 P. M.



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*[By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.]*

Sun rises..6:10 | Sun sets..6:02 | Moon rises..12:00

THE TIDES.

| | High Water. A.M. | High Water. P.M. | Low Water. A.M. | Low Water. P.M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sandy Hook | 11:03 | 11:32 | 5:14 | 5:07 |
| Governors Island | 11:02 | 11:31 | 5:28 | 5:20 |
| Hell Gate | 12:55 | 1:22 | 7:20 | 7:28 |

### Arrived—Tuesday, March 13.

SS Carolyn, San Juan, March 6.
SS Chios, Huelva, Feb. 19.
SS Metapan, Havana, March 9.
SS Navajo, Liverpool, Feb. 19.
SS Belita, Cristobal, March 2.
SS Askild, Gibraltar, Feb. 21.
SS Elizabeth Maersk, Cienfuegos, March 2.
SS Creole, New Orleans, March 7.
SS City of Savannah, Savannah, March 10.
SS Cauto, Sagua, March 4.
SS Rio Grande, Brunswick, March 10.
SS J. D. Archibold, Halifax, March 10.
SS Hudson Maru, Philadelphia, March 12.
SS Madison, Norfolk, March 13.
SS El Mar, New Orleans, March 7.
SS Havana, Havana, March 10.

### Incoming Steamships.

| | | |
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| DUE TODAY. | | |
| Saxonia | London | Mar. 2 |
| Bermudian | Bermuda | Mar. 12 |
| Ausable | Santos | Feb. 22 |
| Hudson | Cherbourg | Feb. 22 |
| Romney | Plymouth | Feb. 25 |
| Thor | Santos | Feb. 23 |
| Borgium | Buenos Aires | Feb. 2 |
| Mar Mediterraneo | Marseilles | Feb. 18 |
| Algonquin | Turks Isl'd | Mar. 6 |
| Alicante | Barcelona | Feb. 18 |
| Commewijne | Haiti | Mar. 8 |
| Advance | Cristobal | Mar. 7 |
| Munamar | Antilla | Mar. 9 |
| Manchioneal | Kingston | Mar. 9 |
| Mohawk | Jacksonville | Mar. 11 |
| El Oriente | Galveston | Mar. 8 |
| DUE TOMORROW. | | |
| Dante Alighieri | Naples | Mar. 1 |
| Caracas | San Juan | Mar. 10 |
| Almirante | Kingston | Mar. 10 |
| El Siglo | Galveston | Mar. 9 |
| Antilles | New Orleans | Mar. 10 |
| DUE FRIDAY. | | |
| Satsuma | Marseilles | Feb. 23 |
| Vienna | Bordeaux | Mar. 2 |
| St. Andre | Bordeaux | Feb. 28 |
| Perouse | Havre | Mar. 2 |
| City of St. Louis | Savannah | Mar. 13 |
| El Sud | Galveston | Mar. 10 |
| DUE SATURDAY. | | |
| Kristianiafjord | Bergen | Feb. 28 |
| Wentworth | St. Nazaire | Mar. 7 |
| Rance | Bordeaux | Mar. 7 |
| St. Stephan | La Pallice | Mar. 2 |
| DUE SUNDAY. | | |
| Mexico | Havana | Mar. 15 |
| Stavangeren | P't au Prince | Mar. 5 |
| City of Augusta | Savannah | Mar. 15 |
| Bjornefjord | Santos | Feb. 22 |
| DUE MONDAY. | | |
| Carolina | San Juan | Mar. 14 |
| Pastores | Havana | Mar. 16 |
| Tagus | Havana | Mar. 14 |
| Comanche | Jacksonville | Mar. 18 |
| DUE TUESDAY. | | |
| Strathlorne | La Pallice | Mar. 3 |
| Panama | Cristobal | Mar. 14 |
| City of Montgomery | Savannah | Mar. 17 |
| St. Stephan | La Pallice | Mar. 8 |

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### Outgoing Steamships.

| | Mails Close. | Vessels Sail. |
|---|---|---|
| SAIL TODAY. | | |
| Santa Marta, Jamaica | 8:00 A.M. | 10:30 A.M. |
| Zulia, San Juan | 9:30 A.M. | 1:00 P.M. |
| Santa Clara, Havana | — | 12:00 M. |
| Concho, Galveston | — | 1:00 P.M. |
| Proteus, New Orleans | — | 12:00 M. |
| SAIL TOMORROW. | | |
| Morro Castle, Havana | 8:00 A.M. | 12:00 M. |
| Colon, Cristobal | 11:30 A.M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Australplain, Pitcairn Island | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Tocantins, Rio Janeiro | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| El Rio, Galveston | — | 12:00 M. |
| City of Savannah, Savannah | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| SAIL FRIDAY. | | |
| Sixaola, Santiago | 12:30 P.M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Belita, Nassau | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Dakotan, Argentina | 8:30 A.M. | 12:00 M. |
| Mohawk, Jacksonville | — | 12:00 M. |
| SAIL SATURDAY. | | |
| Metapan, Havana | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Havana, Havana | 9:00 A.M. | 11:00 A.M. |
| Brazos, San Juan | 9:00 A.M. | 12:00 M. |
| Iroquois, Turks Isle | 11:30 A.M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Bermudian, Bermuda | 9:00 A.M. | 11:00 A.M. |
| Manchioneal, Jamaica | 9:30 A.M. | 12:00 M. |
| Vestris, Bahia | 11:30 A.M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Ohioan, Argentina | 1:30 P.M. | 4:00 P.M. |
| Parima, St. Thomas | 1:30 P.M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Creole, New Orleans | — | 12:00 M. |
| El Mundo, Galveston | — | 12:00 M. |
| Munamar, Matanzas | — | 12:00 M. |
| Arapahoe, Jacksonville | — | 12:00 M. |
| Neches, Galveston | — | 1:00 P.M. |
| Sabine, Tampa | — | 1:00 P.M. |
| Lampasas, Galveston | — | 1:00 P.M. |
| City of St. Louis, Savannah | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| SAIL MONDAY. | | |
| Princess Anne, Norfolk | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| SAIL TUESDAY. | | |
| Pacific, Buenos Aires | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| Jungshoved, Rio Janeiro | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| Lenape, Jacksonville | — | 12:00 M. |
| City of Augusta, Savannah | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| SAIL WEDNESDAY. | | |
| Minas Geraes, Rio Janeiro | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Caracas, San Juan | 9:30 A.M. | 1:00 P.M. |
| Almirante, Jamaica | 8:00 A.M. | 10:30 A.M. |
| Craster Hall, Rio Janeiro | — | 3:00 P.M. |
| H. R. Mallory, Galveston | — | 1:00 P.M. |
| Comanche, Jacksonville | — | 12:00 M. |

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Bahamas, (including Inagua and Fortune Islands,) and Cuba, via Nassau and Havana, at 9 A. M.—Morro Castle...Mar. 15
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Cuba, (specially addressed only,) via Havana, at 8 A. M.—Havana...Mar. 17
Porto Rico, St. Thomas, St. Croix, La Romana, San Pedro de Macoris, and Santo Domingo City, via San Juan, at 8:30 A. M.—Brazos...Mar. 17
Bermuda, via Hamilton, at 9 A. M.—Bermudian...Mar. 17
Jamaica, via Kingston, at 9:30 A. M.—Manchioneal...Mar. 17
Turks Island and Dominican Republic, at 11:30 A. M., (supplementary, 12 M.,)—Iroquois...Mar. 17
Canal Zone, Panama, Salvador, (printed matter, &c.,) Nicaragua, (except East Coast,) Amapala, Choluteca, and prints, &c., for Nacaome, Tegucigalpa, and Yuscaran, (Honduras,) Cauca, and Narino Departments of Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, (except Iquitos,) Bolivia, Chile, and Costa Rica; (Cuba, other parts of Honduras, and letter mail for Salvador must be specially addressed for dispatch by this steamer,) via Havana, Cristobal, and Port Limon, at 12 M.—Metapan...Mar. 17
Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, and State of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, via Montevideo, La Plata, and Buenos Aires, at 1:30 P. M.—Ohioan...Mar. 17
St. Thomas, St. Croix, St. Kitts, Nevis, Saba, St. Martins, St. Eustatius, Antigua, Montserrat, Dominica, Guadeloupe, Martinique, St. Lucia, and Barbados, and for Guiana, via Georgetown, (Grenada, St. Vincent, and Trinidad must be specially addressed for dispatch by this steamer,) at 1:30 P. M., (supplementary, 2:30 P. M.,)—Parima...Mar. 17

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### Foreign Ports.

**Arrived.**

SS Tapajoz, at Pernambuco, March 11.
SS Grove, at La Guayra, March 11.
SS Wagama, at Rio Grande do Sul, March 12.
SS Philadelphia, at San Juan, March 12.
SS Manta, at Arecibo, March 12.
SS Medina, at Montevideo, March 13.
SS Jalisco, at Colon, March 13.
SS Esperanza, at Havana, March 13.

**Sailed.**

SS Caracas, from San Juan, March 12.

### Transpacific Mails.

These mails close at 6:30 P. M.

Japan, Korea, and China, except Shanghai City, (specially addressed only,) (via Vancouver)—Monteagle..Mar. 15
Hawaii, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Korea Maru...Mar. 15
Hawaii, (via San Francisco)—Matsonia...Mar. 16
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—Ixion...Mar. 17
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Northern...Mar. 18
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### BANKRUPTCY SALES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of GEORGE M. FISHEL, WILLIAM FISHEL and HARRY FISHEL, trading as MICHIGAN FURNITURE COMPANY, Bankrupts.

Pursuant to an order of this Court, the undersigned, Receiver in Bankruptcy, will offer for sale on Wednesday, March 14th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., at the premises, 2,174 Third Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all of the assets of the above-named bankrupts, consisting of a large stock of furniture, carpets and similar merchandise, as is usually carried by installment furniture houses, installment accounts, fixtures, wagons, the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the leases to the premises occupied by the bankrupts, and the good-will of said business, in the manner following:

Parcel One—The furniture, carpets and fixtures contained in the store at 139 West 125th Street, Manhattan Borough, New York City, together with the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the lease of said premises.

Parcel Two—The furniture, carpets and fixtures contained in the store at premises 2,174 Third Avenue, Manhattan Borough, New York City, together with the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the lease of said premises.

Parcel Three—The furniture, carpets, and other merchandise contained in the warehouse located at 176 East 119th Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, together with the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the lease of said premises.

Parcel Four—Installment accounts, as they appear on the books of the Company, aggregating about One Hundred and Fifty Thousand ($150,000) Dollars, more or less.

Parcel Five—The furniture, carpets and fixtures contained in the store at 2,174 Third Avenue, Manhattan Borough, New York City, together with the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the lease of said premises; the installment accounts as they appear on the books of the Company, aggregating about One Hundred and Fifty Thousand ($150,000) Dollars, more or less; and the right to use the name Michigan Furniture Company.

Parcel Six—All of the assets of the above-named bankrupts, consisting of furniture, carpets and fixtures contained in the stores at 139 West 125th Street, 2,174 Third Avenue, and the warehouse located at 176 East 119th Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, together with the outstanding accounts, as the same appear on the books of the Company, aggregating about One Hundred and Fifty Thousand ($150,000) Dollars, more or less, the good-will and trade name, and the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the leases of the afore-described premises.

Sealed bids for the property described in the parcels above enumerated may be submitted to the Receiver at the premises 2,174 Third Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 14th day of March, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place bids will be opened by the Receiver, and the creditors can attend and express themselves in regard thereto. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for at least twenty (20%) per cent. of the amount of the bid. The Receiver reserves the right to reject any and all bids; if any or all sealed bids are rejected, then the property will be offered for sale on open competitive bids immediately thereafter, and the property will be offered for sale in the same parcels. Open competitive bids must likewise be accompanied by a certified check or cash for at least twenty (20%) per cent. of the amount of the bid. If the open competitive bids, or any of them, shall not be as large as the corresponding sealed bids, then the Receiver reserves the right at such time to accept the sealed bids, or any of them, providing said bids shall be for a sum not less than seventy-five (75%) per cent. of the appraised value of the property so bid for. The full purchase price on any and all bids accepted by the Receiver must be paid immediately after the sale.

No representation or guarantees of any kind are made by the Receiver as to the character, quality or quantity, or the description, of the merchandise, or as to any other property offered for sale. All property must be removed not later than March 17th, 1917, unless special arrangements are made with the landlord permitting the purchasers to remain on the premises, and such continued occupation by the purchasers shall be at the purchasers' own expense.

The above property may be inspected at the premises of the bankrupts, to wit: 2,174 Third Avenue, 139 West 125th Street, and 176 East 119th Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., on and after March 8th, 1917.

The Receiver reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

For further information apply to Receiver or his attorneys.

Dated, New York, March 7th, 1917.

LANGDON P. MARVIN, Receiver,
52 Wall Street, New York City.
STROOCK & STROOCK, Attorneys for Receiver, 30 Broad Street, New York City.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of DAISY H. ANDREWS, Bankrupt.—No. 21,458.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that personal property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupt will be sold under the direction of Joseph H. Adams, the trustee, at public auction by Adrian H. Muller & Son, auctioneers, at Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, New York City, on March 14, 1917, at 12:30 o'clock in the forenoon.

A general description of the property to be sold is as follows:

1. The interest of the bankrupt as contingent remainderman under the will of Blandina B. Andrews, deceased, which will was admitted to probate by decree of the Surrogate of New York County, entered December 18, 1883. The bankrupt's interest is of the value of approximately $8,000, and is contingent upon her surviving her father.

2. The interest of the bankrupt under a trust deed from Walter S. Andrews to Henry De Forrest Weekes, dated June 27, 1884, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of Nassau County, New York, on September 9, 1899. The interest of the bankrupt is of the value of approximately $11,000, and is contingent on both the bankrupt and her father surviving her mother.

3. The interest of the bankrupt in a contract between her and Elisabeth S. Marbury, dated 1903, for a share in the royalties to be received from approximately ten plays, including "Love Watches," "The Marionettes," and others. The interest of the bankrupt is one per cent. (1%) on the royalties from these plays.

4. The interest of the bankrupt under a contract with Charles Frohman, dated 1907, by which she was to receive royalties from the production of plays by certain French authors.

5. The interest of the bankrupt in a contract between Arthur Bourchier and the bankrupt for certain royalties from the production of the play "Baron de Batz."

The trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of the said proptry from sale unless it shall bring at least seventy-five per centum of the appraised value.

Details of the above may be obtained from Messrs. Elkus, Gleason & Proskauer, attorneys for the trustee.

MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
ELKUS, GLEASON & PROSKAUER, Attorneys for Trustee, 111 Broadway, New York City.

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of New Jersey—In the matter of SAMUEL SACHAROW, Bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Notice of sale.

The undersigned trustee will sell at public auction subject to confirmation, the entire stock of furniture, housefurnishings, and the like, and all other goods and chattels of the bankrupt, at the premises, No. 56 First Street, Passaic, N. J., on March 15th, 1917, at 11 A. M.

CHARLES A. BERGEN, Trustee,
P. O. Box 183, Passaic, N. J.
BILDER & BILDER, Attorneys of Trustee,
790 Broad St., Newark, N. J.

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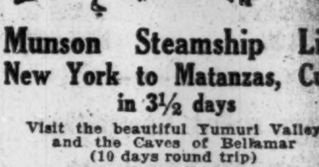

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# FINANCIAL MARKETS

## Stocks Irregular and Less Active—Railroad Strike Not Expected.

The railroad labor situation superseded most other matters in yesterday's stock market discussion. It was made plain at the very outset of trading, however, that the financial community did not regard the relations of the roads and of their men as having by any means reached a desperate state. The statement was made categorically in well-informed railroad quarters that as a matter of fact no strike had been called, and to this was added the belief that none would be.

It was views such as these, entertained in the highest banking quarters, which accounted for the composure with which the Stock Exchange faced the rumors which represented the railroad brotherhoods as being on the eve of bringing about a grave national crisis on the heels of their own and of other organized labor's assurance to the Government that it would have their undivided support in the international crisis with which the country is now confronted. The two things did not fit together, and the Street very wisely felt that the greater significance was to be attached to the patriotic assurances which the spokesmen of organized labor have just laid before the President.

There is to be a conference between the railroads and the representatives of the brotherhoods tomorrow. Banking interests deeply interested in the railroad situation feel confident that some adjustment without a strike will be reached, if not by direct negotiation, then through a renewed offer to arbitrate or through the appointment by the President of a commission which would decide the question between the men and the railroads. As matters now stand, the railroads contend that the Adamson act is unconstitutional, and they will probably carry on their negotiations on the assumption that the test case now before the Supreme Court will lead to a decision setting that law aside. If, on the other hand, the Adamson act is upheld, an entirely different situation will be created. It is not going too far to say that important financial interests, as well as important railroad interests, would not be sorry to have the matter settled in that way. They realize that a decision holding the eight-hour law unconstitutional would by no means put an end to the movement among railroad employes to have the eight-hour day established, and if the railroads are to grant such demands, they would much sooner grant them under the mandate of law or through an arbitration award then to allow them voluntarily to the men. Their reason for that is that they feel that their eventual case before the Interstate Commerce Commission for an increase in rates will be stronger if in granting a wage increase they were complying with a decree of the Supreme Court or with the mandatory decision of a board of arbitration or of a commission appointed by the President.

The showing made in the stock market was an irregular one. Whereas the railroads on Monday had in the matter of strength stood out from the industrials, it was the latter which yesterday supplied most of the net gains so far as the active list was concerned. The railroads, while in few cases actually weak, were under enough pressure to force net losses in a majority of them. Had the Street believed that a country-wide railroad strike was imminent, one would have expected unsettlement throughout the list, for undoubtedly both railroads and industrials would suffer in that event. The advances in many of the industrials and the smallness of the declines in most of the railway issues made it plain that both the railroads and the railway brotherhoods are trusted to deal with the controversy between them in a way which will not add a serious domestic crisis to the international problem with which the nation is just now dealing.

## LONDON MARKET IS DULL.

### American Securities Irregular, with Few Dealings in Low-Priced Shares.

LONDON, March 13.—The stock market without any material increase in business today, reflected the effect of the war news and cheaper money, especially in the gilt-edged section, which firmly maintained the recent improvements and made further fractional gains. Cuban rails were better and the strength of the raw material helped rubber stocks. Oil shares attracted more attention, but Peruvian issues were flat. American securities were irregular with a few dealings in the low-priced shares.

Money is in such liberal supply that the banks are reducing charges for weekly loans. Discount rates are easy at 4⅜ per cent.

### Trading Quiet on Paris Bourse.

PARIS, March 13.—Trading was quiet on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 61 francs 25 centimes for cash. Exchange on London, 27 francs 82 centimes. Five per cent. loan, 88 francs 10 centimes.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 4.8665 | London | 4.75 7/16 | 4.76 7/16 |
| 5.1825 | Paris | 5.85 | 5.83⅞ |
| 95.28 | Berlin | 68.25 | 68.37½ |
| 20.26 | Austria | 11.22 | 11.25 |
| | China— | | |
| | Hongkong | 55.75 | 55.85 |
| | Peking | 88.75 | 88.87½ |
| | Shanghai | 83.75 | 83.87½ |
| 19.295 | Greece | 20.00 | 20.05 |
| 40.10 | Holland | 40.18¾ | 40.25 |
| 32.44 | India— | | |
| | Bombay | 32.25 | 32.37½ |
| | Calcutta | 32.25 | 32.37½ |
| 5.1826 | Italy | 7.78 | 7.77 |
| 49.84 | Japan— | | |
| | Kobe | 50.75 | 50.87½ |
| | Yokohama | 50.75 | 50.87½ |
| 50.00 | Philippine Islands— | | |
| | Manila | 50.12½ | 50.25 |
| 51.45 | Russia | 27.30 | 27.35 |
| 26.79 | Scandinavia— | | |
| | Copenhagen | 28.70 | 28.80 |
| | Stockholm | 29.45 | 29.55 |
| | Christiania | 28.70 | 28.80 |
| 19.295 | Spain | 21.15 | 21.30 |
| | South America— | | |
| 42.44 | Buenos Aires | 44.37½ | 44.50 |
| 32.44 | Rio | 23.62½ | 23.75 |
| 5.1826 | Switzerland | 5.04½ | 5.02⅝ |

**TIME BILLS ON LONDON.**

| Bankers, 60 Days. | Bankers, 90 Days. | Commercial, 60 Days. | Commercial, 90 Days. |
|---|---|---|---|
| $4.71¼ | $4.69¾ | $4.70¾ | $4.68⅝ |

**Clearing House Exchanges.**

Clearing House exchanges, $667,878,166; balance, $17,795,470; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $113,570; Federal Reserve Bank credit balance, $2,181,067.

**Domestic Exchanges.**

Boston, par; Chicago, 15c discount; St. Louis, 15@5c discount; San Francisco, 10c premium; Montreal, $2.50 premium.

**Silver.**

Bar silver in London, 36¼d, off 1⅛d; in New York, 74¼c, off ⅝c; Mexican dollars, 57¼@59¼c.

# NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1917.

| | 1917. | 1916. | 1915. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Day's sales | 499,182 | 1,095,115 | 170,866 |
| Year to date | 37,077,887 | 34,890,246 | 11,937,894 |

| Closing Bid. | Closing Ask. | Sales. | | First. | High. | Low. | Last. | Net Chge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 68 | 69 | 100 | Ajax Rubber | 68 | 68 | 68 | 68 | −½ |
| 7½ | 8 | 450 | Alaska Gold Mines | 8 | 8 | 7½ | 7½ | −½ |
| 26½ | 27½ | 900 | Allis-Chalmers Mfg. | 26⅝ | 27¼ | 26½ | 26½ | −⅝ |
| 85¾ | 86 | 300 | Allis-Chal. Mfg. pf. | 86¼ | 86¼ | 85¾ | 85¾ | −⅝ |
| 90 | 92¼ | 100 | Am. Agricul. Chem. | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | −½ |
| 92 | 92¼ | 800 | Am. Beet Sugar | 91½ | 92⅝ | 91½ | 92 | −⅜ |
| 45 | 45½ | 1,100 | Am. Can | 44⅝ | 45 | 44¼ | 45 | ... |
| 107½ | 108 | 600 | Am. Can pf. | 108 | 108 | 108 | 108 | −½ |
| 65 | 66 | 1,200 | Am. Car & F'dry | 66 | 66 | 65¼ | 65½ | −⅜ |
| 13 | 13¼ | 1,000 | Am. H. & Leather | 13 | 13⅜ | 13 | 13¼ | −⅜ |
| 66⅜ | 67¼ | 500 | Am. H. & Leath. pf. | 66 | 67⅛ | 66 | 67¼ | +¾ |
| 78 | 79 | 100 | United Drug | 79 | 79 | 79 | 79 | +½ |
| 90 | 90½ | 100 | United Drug 2d pf. | 90¼ | 90¼ | 90¼ | 90¼ | +¼ |
| 141¼ | 143 | 100 | United Fruit | 141¼ | 141¼ | 141¼ | 141¼ | −1⅜ |
| 7¾ | 9 | 100 | United Rys. Invest. | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | −1½ |
| 20 | 20⅝ | 100 | U. S. C. I. P. & F. | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20¼ | −½ |
| 55 | 60 | 100 | U.S.C. I. P. & F. pf. | 57¼ | 57¼ | 57¼ | 57¼ | −2¾ |
| 120⅞ | 121¼ | 14,100 | U. S. Indus. Alco. | 119⅝ | 121⅜ | 119⅝ | 121¼ | +1⅜ |
| 58⅞ | 59⅝ | 1,600 | U. S. Rubber | 59½ | 59⅝ | 58⅞ | 59⅝ | +⅜ |
| 108½ | 109 | 100 | U. S. Rub. 1st pf. | 108½ | 108½ | 108½ | 108½ | −⅜ |
| 62½ | 63 | 600 | U. S. Sm., R. & M. | 62½ | 63 | 62½ | 62⅞ | +⅜ |
| 110⅝ | 110⅞ | 135,200 | U. S. Steel | 110¼ | 111⅜ | 109⅝ | 110⅞ | +½ |
| 117½ | 118 | 500 | U. S. Steel pf. | 117⅝ | 117⅞ | 117⅝ | 117⅞ | −⅛ |
| 111½ | 111⅝ | 19,800 | Utah Copper | 109½ | 111½ | 109½ | 111½ | +⅞ |
| 20¾ | 21 | 200 | Utah Securities | 20¾ | 20¾ | 20½ | 20¾ | −1⅞ |
| 40 | 40½ | 300 | Va.-Car. Chemical | 40 | 40⅞ | 40 | 40⅞ | −⅞ |
| 58 | 60 | 200 | Va. Iron, Coal & C. | 59 | 59 | 59 | 59 | −1 |
| 11⅞ | 12¼ | 1,050 | Wabash | 12 | 12 | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | −⅛ |
| 48 | 48⅝ | 600 | Wabash pf. A | 48⅛ | 48½ | 48 | 48⅛ | −⅛ |
| 24¾ | 25 | 400 | Wabash pf. B | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | −½ |
| 99 | 102 | 100 | Wells Fargo Exp. | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | −1 |
| 95¼ | 96 | 900 | Western Union Tel. | 94½ | 95½ | 94½ | 95½ | +½ |
| 51 | 51¼ | 2,000 | Westingh. E. & M. | 50⅝ | 51 | 50⅝ | 51 | +⅛ |
| 49 | 50 | 200 | White Motors | 50⅛ | 50⅛ | 50 | 50 | −1 |
| 49 | 50 | 50 | Do., odd lot | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | ... |
| 62½ | 63½ | 100 | Wilson & Co. | 63½ | 63½ | 63½ | 63½ | −½ |
| 85 | 85½ | 1,200 | Willys-Overland | 85 | 85⅝ | 85 | 85⅝ | +⅝ |
| 50½ | 56 | 100 | Worth. Pump pf. B | 53 | 53 | 53 | 53 | −¼ |

## RUTLAND RESUMES DIVIDEND

### Western Union Votes Quarterly 1 1-2%—Other Disbursements.

The Rutland Railroad Company, which has not paid dividends since January, 1908, declared yesterday a dividend of 2 per cent. on the preferred stock, payable April 16 to holders of record March 29. The New York Central and the New Haven Roads own a majority of the preferred stock, and practically all of the common stock has been retired.

The Western Union Telegraph Company declared yesterday a regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. The company had heretofore paid 5 per cent. per annum, but at the December meeting the Directors declared an extra dividend of 1 per cent., thus placing the stock on a 6 per cent. basis.

The E. W. Bliss Company has declared an extra dividend of 11¼ per cent. on the common stock in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ on the common and 2 per cent. on the preferred.

The Northwestern Yeast Company of Chicago declared an extra dividend of 3 per cent. in addition to the usual quarterly dividend of 3 per cent.

Directors of the Continental Refining Company of Oklahoma have voted to increase the dividend on the common stock from 6 to 8 per cent. annually. The dividend is payable on the 10th day of each month to stockholders of record on the first. This places the common stock on the same dividend basis as the preferred.

## CITY BORROWS $15,000,000.

### Six Bids for Corporate Stock and Revenue Bills Received.

The City of New York borrowed $15,000,000 yesterday from banks at rates ranging from 3.10 to 3.30 per cent. The Controller invited bids for all or part of the issue, the practice heretofore having been to arrange the city's temporary financing by calling one or two banks by telephone. This time the Controller addressed letters to about seventy-five banks, and bids were received from six. The borrowing was in two forms—$5,000,000 in corporate stock, due May 25, and $10,000,000 in revenue bills, due June 6. Following are the successful bidders, with the respective amounts and prices:

Corporate Stock—Salomon Brothers & Hutzler, $1,090,000 at 3.29; National Park Bank, $100,000 at 3.10, $100,000 at 3.15, $100,000 at 3.20, and $100,000 at 3.25; United States Mortgage and Trust Company, $400,000 at 3.25; Bernhard, Scholle & Co., $500,000 at 3.22, $500,000 at 3.27, and $110,000 at 3.29; Guaranty Trust Company, $1,000,000 at 3.15 and $1,000,000 at 3.26.

Revenue Bills—Salomon Brothers & Hutzler, $9,100,000 at 3.33; Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co., $500,000 at 3.29; National Park Bank, $100,000 at 3.15, $100,000 at 3.20, $100,000 at 3.25, and $100,000 at 3.30.

## MARKET AVERAGES.

**STOCKS.**
YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

| | High. | Low. | Last. | Net Ch'ge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 25 railroads | 73.81 | 73.51 | 73.66 | −.44 |
| 25 industrials | 91.60 | 90.38 | 91.28 | +.09 |
| 50 stocks | 82.70 | 81.94 | 82.47 | −.17 |

DAILY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

| | High. | Low. | Last. | Net Ch'ge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mar. 13 | 82.70 | 81.94 | 82.47 | −.17 |
| Mar. 12 | 84.00 | 82.37 | 82.64 | −.62 |
| Mar. 10 | 83.70 | 82.96 | 83.26 | +.23 |
| Mar. 9 | 83.26 | 82.10 | 83.03 | +.91 |
| Mar. 8 | 82.60 | 81.86 | 82.12 | −.05 |
| Mar. 7 | 82.96 | 81.90 | 82.17 | −.19 |
| Mar. 6 | 83.05 | 81.97 | 82.36 | −.01 |

MONTHLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

| March. | —High.— | | —Low.— | | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *1917 | 84.00 | Mar. 12 | 79.42 | Mar. 1 | 82.47 |
| 1916 | 90.73 | Mar. 14 | 83.49 | Mar. 1 | 87.52 |
| 1915 | 65.83 | Mar. 31 | 59.86 | Mar. 1 | 64.95 |
| 1914 | 71.32 | Mar. 23 | 68.66 | Mar. 9 | 70.20 |
| 1913 | 74.53 | Mar. 5 | 70.99 | Mar. 19 | 73.85 |
| 1912 | 81.74 | Mar. 27 | 76.29 | Mar. 1 | 80.81 |
| 1911 | 80.72 | Mar. 28 | 78.04 | Mar. 4 | 79.82 |

YEARLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

| | —High.— | | —Low.— | | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *1917 | 90.46 | Jan. 4 | 77.24 | Feb. 3 | 82.47 |
| †1916 | 91.83 | Jan. 3 | 83.40 | Mar. 1 | 90.06 |
| Full Years. | | | | | |
| 1916 | 101.51 | Nov. 20 | 80.91 | Apr. 22 | 88.22 |
| 1915 | 94.13 | Oct. 22 | 58.99 | Feb. 24 | 91.50 |
| 1914 | 78.30 | Jan. 31 | 57.41 | July 30 | 60.20 |
| 1913 | 79.10 | Jan. 10 | 63.09 | June 10 | 68.06 |
| 1912 | 85.83 | Sep. 30 | 75.24 | Feb. 1 | 78.22 |
| 1911 | 84.41 | June 26 | 69.57 | Sep. 25 | 77.60 |

**Bonds.**
DAILY RANGE OF FORTY BONDS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mar. 13 | 86.75 | −.08 | Mar. 6 | 86.72 | −.02 |
| Mar. 12 | 86.83 | +.08 | Mar. 5 | 86.74 | +.06 |
| Mar. 10 | 86.91 | +.11 | Mar. 3 | 86.68 | −.08 |
| Mar. 9 | 86.80 | +.08 | Mar. 2 | 86.76 | −.16 |
| Mar. 8 | 86.72 | −.05 | Mar. 1 | 86.92 | −.25 |
| Mar. 7 | 86.77 | +.05 | | | |

YEARLY RANGE OF FORTY BONDS.

| | —High.— | | —Low.— | | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *1917 | 89.48 | Jan. 20 | 86.68 | Mar. 3 | 86.75 |
| †1916 | 87.35 | Feb. 4 | 86.47 | Mar. 3 | 86.62 |
| Full Years. | | | | | |
| 1916 | 98.18 | Nov. 27 | 86.19 | Apr. 28 | 88.64 |
| 1915 | 87.62 | Nov. 24 | 81.51 | Jan. 2 | 86.67 |
| 1914 | 89.42 | Feb. 4 | 81.42 | Dec. 2 | 81.96 |
| 1913 | 92.31 | Jan. 10 | 85.45 | Dec. 13 | 86.84 |

*To date. †To corresponding date.

## TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

### Surprised Traders.

Experienced traders expressed surprise that stocks did not show more reflection than they did of the threatened railroad strike. The bears were ready at the opening to slam prices, and for a time they got fair results, with declines running from one to more than three points in some of the rails and industrials. The rails, however, held their heads up fairly well all the way along, and before the first hour ended the general list showed not only stability but firmness in some important directions. The action of the market convinced numerous brokers and speculators that stocks had been sufficiently liquidated since the December decline began to leave the trading structure with a firm foundation. This belief did not work to promote buying on a substantial scale in later business, although the initial weakness was not repeated.

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### Discussing Values.

More talk is heard about earnings and values in stock commission houses than when March opened. The decision to arm merchantmen removed one uncertainty from the international situation, and while it was thought to increase the chances of war with Germany, these chances apparently have been weighed so frequently and from so many angles that trading sentiment has become somewhat dulled concerning them. Rising prices for steel products and improving transportation conditions have for some days stimulated the making of estimates of the Steel Corporation's earnings in the current quarter. The same tendency in respect to other steel concerns, the copper companies, and concerns manufacturing products in especial demand was evident in brokerage quarters yesterday in spite of the lack of an advancing stock list.

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### Demand for Tax-Exempt Bonds.

Bond dealers reported yesterday a demand for tax-exempt bonds from the West, particularly from Ohio and Illinois, in anticipation of tax day, which, in the case of these States, is April 1. It was said that there had been a considerable sale of United States Government issues. A specialist in tax-exempt bonds pointed out that United States Government and other securities which are tax-exempt in all States are known to be shifted every year from one State to another until the last tax day is reached. He pointed out that as a rule the last purchasers were investors in Missouri, who usually paid the highest price of the season. Some investors make it a practice to become owners of tax-exempt securities during the tax period and then to liquidate, putting their money in issues which bring them a higher income.

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### A Railroad Economist.

William Sproule, President of the Southern Pacific Company, recently returned to the West after making a study of the food situation in the Eastern part of the country which convinced him that the shortage could not be laid at the door of the transportation agencies. "The very prosperity this country is enjoying has its penalties," said Mr. Sproule. "We are exporting food as well as munitions, and in exchange for them we are getting gold. We cannot eat gold, but we can increase production, and the problem of the high cost of living can be solved only by increasing the area of production or increasing the production from existing available areas through better methods. We need to learn the art of living within our means. The talk of making large appropriations to distribute food as an emergency measure proceeds on a theory that has always been a failure. In a nation where every able-bodied man has plenty of work available it becomes a mere case of living economically."

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### Food 75 Per Cent. Higher.

The cost of food in Canada has increased about 75 per cent. since the beginning of the war, according to figures compiled by the Department of Labor of the Dominion, which calls attention to the fact that the rise in prices in Great Britain has been about 87 per cent. In January, 1916, the cost of a list of twenty-nine staple articles of food, weighed according to family consumption, averaged $7.73 for sixty cities in Canada, as compared with $10.27 in January of this year.

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### Tobacco Sales Gain.

Economies incident to the rising cost of living have apparently not yet reached some of the so-called luxuries. The tobacco companies' sales are understood to be showing increases over the same period last year, and in January the increase in sales of cigarettes, according to statistics supplied in Wall Street yesterday, was practically 50 per cent. over January, 1916. The output of cigarettes in the month was 2,416,762,000, compared with 1,657,145,000 in the same month last year. Sales of chewing and smoking tobacco in January gained more than 16 per cent.

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### Jitney Competition.

The non-operating income of the West Jersey & Seashore Railroad, a Pennsylvania subsidiary, decreased 12 per cent. last year, principally on account of a further decrease in the rents from the Atlantic Avenue & Longport Line, operated for the Seashore by the Atlantic City & Shore Railroad. The decrease was due to the continued operation of a large number of jitneys in Atlantic City. Since the last report, Samuel Rea, President, says an attempt has been made by the city authorities to reasonably regulate the jitney traffic, but legal proceedings have prevented so far the more equitable results expected from such action.

## THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Receipts and expenditures:

| | This M'th. | Fiscal Yr. |
|---|---|---|
| Customs receipts | $7,183,768 | $144,722,208 |
| Ordinary internal rev. | 12,996,462 | 279,163,854 |
| Income tax | 1,414,953 | 28,736,112 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,804,042 | 46,649,506 |
| Total receipts | $23,399,226 | $499,291,676 |
| Excess of ord. disburse. over ord. receipts | 7,008,062 | 169,970,377 |
| Excess of total disburse. over total receipts | 8,469,637 | 182,867,854 |
| Expenditures | 30,407,[illegible] | [illegible] |

# BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1917.

| | 1917. | 1916. | 1915. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Day's sales | $2,935,500 | $2,703,500 | $1,916,500 |
| Year to date | 234,870,300 | 230,937,500 | 130,749,500 |

SALES GIVEN IN LOTS OF $1,000.

# BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

# SHORT TERM NOTES

| Security. Rate. | Due. | Bid. | Asked. | Yld. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. Cot. Oil..5 | Nov., 1917 | 100 | 100½ | 4.25 |
| Am. P. & L..6 | Aug., 1921 | 100 | 102 | 5.50 |
| Am. T. & T..4½ | Feb., 1918 | 100¼ | 100½ | 3.95 |
| Am. Thread..5 | Jan., 1919 | 98 | 98⅝ | 4.75 |
| A., T. & S.F.5 | June, 1917 | 100⅛ | 100½ | 3.12 |
| A.V.R.L. & P.6 | July 1, '19 | 100 | 101 | 5.62½ |
| At. & Pac. T.6 | June, 1921 | 102⅛ | 102¾ | 5.30 |
| Braz.L.&T.Co.6 | Nov., 1919 | 97 | 98 | 6.0 |
| B'klyn R. T..5 | July, 1918 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 5.10 |
| C., B. & Q....4 | July, 1921 | 97½ | 98½ | 4.40 |
| C. & W. Ind..5 | Sep., 1917 | 99⅞ | 100¼ | 4.50 |
| Rem. A. Un. Met. C. Co.5 | Feb. 1, '19 | 78 | 82 | .. |
| United Fruit..5 | May, 1918 | 99⅞ | 100½ | 4.60 |
| Utah Sec. Cor.6 | Sep. 15, '22 | 96 | 97 | 6.60 |
| Wabash R. R.4 | May, 1920 | 94½ | 96½ | 5.05 |
| W'house El. & Mfg. Co....5 | Oct., 1917 | 100⅛ | 100½ | 4.15 |
| Win. R. Arms.5 | Mar., 1918 | 94¾ | 95½ | .. |
| W. V.T. & E.6 | June, 1917 | 100 | 100½ | 6.00 |
| W.S. G. & E.6 | Oct., 1917 | 100 | 101⅜ | 4.50 |
| Win. E. Ry..6 | Jan. 15, '18 | 100 | 101 | 4.87½ |

### Pyne a Prudential Director.

The Prudential Insurance Company of America announced yesterday the election of Moses Taylor Pyne as Director to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of ex-Chancellor William J. Magie. Mr. Pyne is a Trustee of Princeton University and a Director of the National City Bank, the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, and the Princeton Bank.

### $48,000,000 Copper Co. Increase.

The Copper Queen Mining Company, which is owned by Phelps, Dodge & Co., received authorization yesterday at Albany for an increase of its capital stock from $2,000,000 to $50,000,000. The company owns mines in Arizona and in New Mexico, and operates the Douglas Reduction Works, a large smelting plant at Douglas, Ariz. It has paid dividends as high as 825 per cent. a year.

### West Jersey & Seashore Earnings.

The West Jersey & Seashore Railroad, owned by the Pennsylvania, carried more passengers and freight to and from the shore resorts in 1916 than in any previous year of its history. The company carried 11,983,000 passengers, and 3,958,000 tons of freight, an increase of 1,816,000 passengers and 413,000 tons of freight. The company earned for the year a net income of $940,000. Dividends of 5 per cent. were paid, and the balance, amounting to $369,000, was appropriated for improvements.

### $7,200,000 Gold from Russia.

Gold to the amount of $7,200,000 was received yesterday at the Assay Office for the account of J. P. Morgan & Co. The metal came from Russia by way of Canada. The total imports of gold thus far this year amount to $221,700,000, and since January, 1915, $1,859,200,000.

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## Credit to be Issued This Week if Plans Made Yesterday Are Carried Out.

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### Loan Will Be Secured by Collateral, Including $20,000,000 American Securities, and Yield 6 to 6½%.

A new French Government loan amounting to $100,000,000 will be issued before the close of this week, if plans which were being formulated yesterday encounter no unexpected delay. Some of the terms of the loan are still subject to final settlement, but the plan for this financing is expected to adhere to the terms which have been practically agreed upon.

It is proposed to issue the $100,000,000 in the form of two-year notes to be secured by collateral. Of the total amount $20,000,000 will be covered by American securities and the balance by miscellaneous foreign securities, including probably a variety of neutral issues owned in France. The interest rate on the notes is to be 5 or 5½ per cent., and it is expected that they will be offered on terms to yield 6 or 6½ per cent. The rate of interest and the price at which the notes are to be offered were among the matters which were awaiting decision yesterday.

The holders of the notes will have an option to exchange them into twenty-year 5½ per cent. French bonds, which will give to those who wish it, in lieu of cash, a security which would profit by whatever appreciation might occur in French credit during the life of these twenty-year bonds.

Another provision designed to give the holders possible benefits in addition to the interest yield on the notes themselves is contained in a clause which provides that the notes shall be paid in dollars, or in francs, at the rate of 5¾ francs to each dollar. The choice of the form of payment will lie with the holder of the note. It would be to his advantage to accept payment in francs in case the rate of exchange should move in his favor before the notes became due. Normally, about 5.18 francs are equivalent to $1, but owing to the depreciation of exchange as a result of the war a dollar is now equivalent to about 5.85 francs. If the value of French exchange should rise so that at the maturity of the notes a dollar was equal to less than 5.75 francs there would be a profit in the holder of the note exercising his option to take payment in francs at that rate. As in the case of previous foreign loans in this market, the proceeds of this French financing will all be used in the United States so that it is in effect merely an extension of credit for the facilitation of our trade with France.

These notes will be the first direct obligations of the French Government alone put out here. In the early days of the war France borrowed $500,000,000 jointly with Great Britain on five-year bonds. Last year she obtained $100,000,000 through the American Foreign Securities Corporation, formed especially to issue dollar notes on the security of collateral deposited with it. French banks, in co-operation with the Government, have arranged a number of credits here for commercial purposes. Three of these, for a total of $45,000,000, were brought out through William P. Bonbright & Co., and two also for a total of $45,000,000, through Brown Brothers & Co. Of the latter $20,000,000 has been paid off. Through the Bankers' Trust Company and William P. Bonbright & Co., an industrial credit of $50,000,000 was provided a few months ago.

## BRITISH LOAN SYNDICATE ENDS

### Profit on $250,000,000 Issue Is Approximately 1 3-8%.

The syndicate which handled the $250,000,000 secured United Kingdom note issue has been closed and checks for the syndicate profits mailed to the members. It is understood that the profit on each participation of $100,000 was in the neighborhood of $1,340, or approximately 1⅜ per cent.

These notes were dated Feb. 1, 1917, and are in two maturities, $10,000,000 maturing in one year and the remainder on Feb. 1, 1919. They are convertible into twenty-year 5½ per cent. bonds of the United Kingdom due Feb. 1, 1937. They are a direct obligation of the British Government and are secured by $300,000,000 of collateral.

## NEW CANAL ZONE STRIKE.

### Workers on Dry Dock Demand Increase of Wages.

COLON, March 13.—Another strike was begun today by negro employes in the Canal Zone. One hundred of the 800 negroes at the Cristobal dry dock quit work, demanding higher wages.

There has been no interference with work at the dry dock.

### Crocker-Wheeler Surplus $850,000.

The February statement of the Crocker-Wheeler Company, issued yesterday, show an increase in surplus of about 7 per cent., bringing the total surplus to more than $850,000. The net earnings were larger than during any February since the organization of the company. After completing several munition orders the company has returned to the exclusive manufacture of electrical equipment, but it is ready to re-enter the munition business if called upon to do so by the United States Government.

### Jersey Board Sued for $1,164,336.

Suit has been filed in the United States District Court by the O'Rourke Engineering Company of New York, for $1,164,336 damages against the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission. A copy of the complaint was served yesterday on Joseph H. Quigg, Secretary of the commission, in Newark. The construction company has the contract for Section 2 of the sewer work under Bayonne, N. J., and New York Bay.

## BOSTON CURB.

| | Bid. | Asked. | | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alvarado | .50 | 1 | Iron Blos. | 1¼ | 1⅜ |
| Am Oil | .26 | .28 | Iron Cap. | 16 | 16½ |
| Begole | .80 | .90 | Do pf. | 16 | 16½ |
| Bay S G. | .09 | .10 | Jerome V. | 1⅞ | 2 |
| Bing Min. | 10½ | 11 | La Rose | .50 | .60 |
| Bost Ely | .35 | .45 | Majestic | .64 | .67 |
| Bost & M. | .64 | .65 | Mex Met. | .17 | .19 |
| Bos & Ariz | 1¾ | 2 | Mojave T. | .50 | .52 |
| Bohemia | 1½ | 1⅝ | Nev Doug. | 2½ | 2⅝ |
| Butte & L. | .22 | .25 | N L & Z. | .52 | .54 |
| Butte & D. | 1⅛ | 1¼ | New Balt. | 1⅞ | 2¼ |
| Cal Cor. | 2½ | 3 | N Cornelia | 17½ | 17⅝ |
| Calaveras | 4 | 5 | N U Bing. | .50 | .75 |
| Champ Cop | .08 | .09 | Nixon | .70 | .71 |
| Chief Cons. | 2⅝ | 2¾ | Oneco | .60 | .75 |
| Cons Ariz. | 2⅛ | 2¼ | Onondaga | .60 | .75 |
| Cons Cop. | 3⅜ | 3⅞ | Ohio Cop. | 1⅟₁₆ | 1⅛ |
| Cortez | .25 | .34 | Pion C M. | 2 | 2¼ |
| Crown Res. | .35 | .45 | Ray Herc. | 4⅛ | 4½ |
| E & B B. | 2⅟₁₆ | 2¼ | Rilla | .04 | .05 |
| Earl-Eagle | .39 | .40 | *S W M. | 2⅜ | 2½ |
| Fortuna | .16 | .18 | †S W M. | 2½ | 3 |
| Gold Lake | .06 | .08 | Truro | 2⅝ | 3 |
| Homa Oil | 1⅝ | 1¾ | U V Ext. | 38½ | 39¼ |
| Houghton | 1 | 1⅝ | Yukon G'd | 2 | 2⅛ |
| Humboldt | 1 | 2 | | | |

*Part paid. †Full paid.

## METAL MARKET REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Yesterday. Asked. | Monday. Bid. | Monday. Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tin, spot | .... | 53.50 | .... | 54.00 |
| Lead | .... | 10.00 | 9.50 | 10.00 |
| Spelter | 11.75 | .... | 11.50 | .... |
| Antimony | 30.00 | 32.00 | 30.00 | 32.00 |
| Quicksilver | $105.00 | $108.00 | $108.00 | .... |
| Aluminium | *60.00 | 62.00 | *55.00 | 60.00 |
| Iron, No. 2X f'dy | 34.50 | 35.50 | 34.50 | 35.50 |

*Nominal.

Electrolytic copper was quoted in the open market at 36@37½c, carload lots, first quarter; 33½@35½c, second quarter, delivered. London quotations were:

| | Yesterday. £ | s. | d. | Monday. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Copper, spot | 136 | 0 | 0 | 136 | 0 | 0 |
| Copper, futures | 135 | 0 | 0 | 135 | 10 | 0 |
| Tin, spot | 200 | 15 | 0 | 200 | 5 | 0 |
| Tin, futures | 200 | 5 | 0 | 199 | 15 | 0 |
| Spelter | 47 | 0 | 0 | 47 | 0 | 0 |
| Lead | 30 | 10 | 0 | 30 | 10 | 0 |

## EARNINGS.

### Railroads.

| | 1917. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|
| CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN— | | |
| 1st week March | $260,515 | *$26,744 |
| July 1 to March 7 | 11,315,151 | 954,862 |
| CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS & LOUISVILLE— | | |
| 1st week March | 161,857 | *2,365 |
| Month February | 616,289 | 23,163 |
| July 1 to Feb. 28 | 5,681,239 | 684,702 |
| COLORADO & SOUTHERN— | | |
| 1st week March | 284,022 | 16,877 |
| Jan. 1 to March 7 | 3,233,108 | 416,290 |
| DENVER & RIO GRANDE— | | |
| 1st week March | 450,000 | 60,800 |
| Jan. 1 to March 7 | 4,349,463 | 524,807 |
| GEORGIA SOUTHERN & FLORIDA— | | |
| 1st week March | 52,150 | 3,125 |
| July 1 to March 7 | 1,975,514 | 281,362 |
| MOBILE & OHIO— | | |
| 1st week March | 217,662 | 1,610 |
| July 1 to March 7 | 8,473,155 | 577,045 |
| PERE MARQUETTE— | | |
| 1st week March | 411,072 | 11,088 |
| July 1 to March 7 | 3,509,640 | *147,344 |
| SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM.—Lines East and West— | | |
| 1st week March | 1,980,651 | 143,837 |
| July 1 to March 7 | 70,296,089 | 8,390,833 |
| TEXAS & PACIFIC— | | |
| 1st week March | 366,219 | 9,710 |
| Jan. 1 to March 7 | 3,783,882 | 380,183 |

*Decrease.

| BANGOR & AROOSTOOK— | 1917. | 1916. | 1915. |
|---|---|---|---|
| January gross | $411,217 | 325,685 | 335,908 |
| Net after tax. | 159,376 | 122,090 | 137,003 |
| Surp. aft. chgs. | 78,092 | 31,950 | 36,761 |

| ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN— | 1917. | 1916. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|---|
| January gross. | 966,382 | 644,217 | 322,165 |
| Net after tax. | 456,742 | 223,469 | 233,273 |

### Public Utilities.

AMERICAN RAILWAYS CO., a subsidiary of United National Utilities Co.; combined income of subsidiary companies for the year ended Dec. 31—

| | 1916. | 1915. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Gross earnings | $8,840,913 | $5,438,247 | $3,402,666 |
| Net earnings | 3,383,940 | 1,942,778 | 1,441,162 |
| Total income | 3,426,108 | 1,996,220 | 1,439,888 |
| Surp. aft. chgs. | 1,827,641 | 1,073,578 | 754,063 |
| American Railways Co. for year showed: | | | |
| Gross income | 1,538,269 | 1,145,625 | 392,644 |
| Exp. and tax., int. and am. | 785,931 | 686,239 | 99,692 |
| Net income | 752,338 | 459,386 | 292,952 |
| Preferred div | 280,000 | 140,000 | 140,000 |
| Com. divs. | 378,400 | 302,099 | 76,301 |
| Surplus | 93,938 | 17,287 | 76,651 |
| Prev. surplus. | 563,021 | ...... | ...... |
| Sund. adj. deb. | 52,706 | ...... | ...... |
| Tot. sur. Dec. 31 | 604,254 | ...... | ...... |

| | 1917. | 1916. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|---|
| COLUMBUS RAILWAY, POWER & LIGHT— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 337,571 | 297,417 | 40,154 |
| Net aft. taxes | 109,047 | 124,498 | *15,451 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 64,778 | 83,376 | *18,598 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 3,577,554 | 3,135,840 | 441,714 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 1,416,825 | 1,280,662 | 136,163 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 897,804 | 801,978 | 95,826 |
| Bal.af. pf.divs. | 611,396 | 516,790 | 94,606 |
| CHATTANOOGA RAILWAY & LIGHT (Tennessee Railway, Light & Power subsidiary)— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 107,049 | 101,420 | 5,629 |
| Net aft. taxes | 31,605 | 38,109 | *6,504 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | †1,055 | 9,254 | *10,309 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 1,241,252 | 1,107,434 | 133,818 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 405,674 | 376,600 | 29,704 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 45,545 | 19,332 | 26,213 |
| COMMONWEALTH POWER, RAILWAY & LIGHT— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 1,617,719 | 1,407,552 | 210,176 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 686,663 | 661,052 | 5,611 |
| Sur. aft. taxes | 256,304 | 269,684 | *13,380 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 17,172,773 | 14,755,303 | 2,417,470 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 7,692,179 | 6,891,791 | 800,388 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 2,638,363 | 2,334,716 | 303,647 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 1,609,598 | 1,374,716 | 234,882 |
| CONSUMERS POWER CO.— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 487,327 | 399,658 | 87,669 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 230,453 | 249,208 | *18,755 |
| Sur. aft. taxes | 147,113 | 173,061 | *25,948 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 4,834,871 | 3,972,806 | 862,065 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 2,509,276 | 2,337,533 | 171,743 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 1,604,905 | 1,455,660 | 148,345 |
| Bal. af. pf. dv. | 1,133,720 | 1,048,910 | 84,810 |
| CUMBERLAND COUNTY POWER & LIGHT CO.— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 238,719 | 213,184 | 25,535 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 74,366 | 79,791 | *5,425 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 8,199 | 13,940 | *5,741 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 2,892,531 | 2,655,336 | 237,195 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 1,086,085 | 1,136,297 | *50,212 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 276,427 | 340,000 | *64,173 |
| Bal. af. pf. dv. | 138,427 | 202,600 | *64,173 |

| EAST ST LOUIS & SUBURBAN— | 1917. | 1916. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. gross | 292,607 | 229,368 | 63,239 |
| Net after tax. | 97,807 | 91,386 | 6,421 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 33,742 | 29,533 | 4,209 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 3,090,938 | 2,490,176 | 600,762 |
| Net after tax. | 1,213,346 | 1,002,281 | 211,065 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 456,101 | 247,398 | 208,703 |
| Bal. aft.pf.div. | 276,101 | 37,398 | 238,703 |
| GRAND RAPIDS RAILWAY— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 113,108 | 105,817 | 7,291 |
| Net after tax. | 38,644 | 41,145 | *2,510 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 20,593 | 26,620 | *6,207 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 1,304,878 | 1,177,539 | 127,339 |
| Net after tax. | 467,051 | 347,090 | 119,961 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 276,615 | 181,110 | 95,505 |
| Bal. aft.pf.div. | 182,865 | 106,110 | 76,755 |

HUNTINGTON DEVELOPMENT & GAS CO. for eight months ended Jan. 31, 1917, reported gross of $332,591, net of $191,718, and a surplus after charges of $77,130.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| LEWISTON, AUGUSTA & WATERVILLE STREET RAILWAY— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 61,703 | 52,883 | 8,820 |
| Net after tax. | 7,515 | 12,533 | *5,018 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 7,793 | 3,430 | *4,363 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 812,480 | 741,207 | 71,273 |
| Net after tax. | 245,846 | 264,042 | *18,696 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 58,228 | 73,818 | *15,590 |
| Bal. af. pf.div. | 22,228 | 37,818 | *15,590 |
| MONTANA POWER CO. for the year 1916— | | | |
| Gross | 6,219,148 | 4,231,223 | 1,987,925 |
| Op. ex. & tax. | 1,491,622 | 1,191,903 | 299,719 |
| Net earnings | 4,727,525 | 3,039,319 | 1,688,206 |
| Divs. on inv. | 8,722 | 74,785 | *66,063 |
| Int. rects from outside sourc. | 17,034 | 53,399 | *36,365 |
| Net income | 4,753,282 | 3,167,504 | 1,585,778 |
| Interest paid | 1,319,735 | 1,189,162 | 130,573 |
| Depreciation | 350,000 | 300,000 | 50,000 |
| Surp. for year. | 3,083,547 | 1,678,342 | 1,405,205 |

| NASHVILLE RAILWAY & LIGHT (Tennessee Railway, Light & Power subsidiary)— | 1917. | 1916. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. gross | 209,869 | 196,585 | 13,284 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 76,684 | 80,321 | *3,637 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 35,356 | 37,148 | *1,792 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 2,396,323 | 2,155,941 | 240,385 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 926,217 | 827,731 | 98,486 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 419,090 | 316,078 | 103,012 |
| Bal. after pf. div. | 294,090 | 191,078 | 103,012 |
| PHILADELPHIA CO. combined earnings of all departments— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 3,038,200 | 2,637,743 | 401,057 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 1,397,227 | 1,392,659 | 4,568 |
| 10 mos. gross. | 24,808,561 | 21,443,277 | 3,365,284 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 10,266,168 | 9,647,539 | 618,629 |
| PORTLAND RAILWAY, LIGHT & POWER— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 490,231 | 454,988 | 35,243 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 230,042 | 197,256 | 32,786 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 47,704 | 15,494 | 32,210 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 5,518,352 | 5,476,620 | 41,732 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 2,477,641 | 2,406,664 | 70,977 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 298,808 | 198,908 | 99,900 |
| TENNESSEE POWER CO.— | | | |
| Jan. gross | 146,289 | 111,809 | 34,480 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 62,775 | 66,108 | 3,338 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 18,842 | 28,849 | *10,007 |
| 12 mos. gross. | 1,671,196 | 1,097,301 | 573,895 |
| Net aft. taxes. | 756,512 | 543,269 | 213,243 |
| Sur. aft. chgs. | 294,919 | 79,415 | 215,504 |

*Decrease. †Deficit.

### Miscellaneous.

HALE & KILBURN COMPANY for the fiscal year ended Dec. 31—

| | 1916. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|
| Sales | $3,130,810 | $1,192,735 |
| Net from operation | 344,162 | 51,003 |
| Miscellaneous | 40,749 | 823 |
| Total net income | 389,912 | 456,827 |

P. LORILLARD COMPANY for the year ended Dec. 31—

| | 1916. | 1915. | 1914. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Net income | 5,874,077 | 4,820,913 | 4,519,061 |
| Bond interest | 1,269,252 | 1,274,051 | 1,279,625 |
| Pf. dividends | 791,532 | 791,532 | 791,532 |
| Balance | 3,813,293 | 2,755,330 | 2,447,904 |
| Com. dividends | 2,576,452 | 1,970,228 | 2,273,340 |
| Bond premiums | *20,868 | 18,685 | 17,471 |
| Surplus | 1,215,973 | 766,417 | 157,093 |
| Prev. surplus | 4,426,031 | 3,659,613 | 3,502,519 |
| P. and L. sur. | 5,642,004 | 4,426,031 | 3,659,612 |

*Premium on 7 per cent. gold bonds purchased and canceled.

PITTSBURGH COAL COMPANY for the year ended Dec. 31—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Net earnings | 5,592,799 | 4,219,837 | 4,201,070 |
| Reserves | *2,064,219 | 1,973,827 | 2,014,316 |
| Bond interest. | 384,654 | 592,486 | 815,695 |
| Balance | 3,143,926 | 1,653,524 | 1,371,058 |
| Pf. dividends | 1,350,897 | 1,353,590 | 1,353,590 |
| Surplus | 1,793,028 | 299,934 | 17,469 |
| Prev. surplus | 10,843,515 | 10,543,581 | 10,526,112 |
| P. and L. sur. | 12,636,543 | 10,843,515 | 10,543,581 |

*For depreciation and depletion of coal lands.

## RAILWAY EQUIPMENT BONDS.

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

| Name. | Maturity. | Rate. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balt. & Ohio | 1917-'26 | 4 @4½ | 4.50 | 4.25 |
| Buff., Roch. & P. | 1917-'30 | 4½@5 | 4.60 | 4.30 |
| Canadian North. | 1917-'26 | 4½@5 | 6.00 | 5.00 |
| Canadian Pacific | 1917-'28 | 4½ | 4.65 | 4.40 |
| Ches. & Ohio | 1917-'26 | 4½ | 4.62 | 4.40 |
| Chicago & N. W. | 1917-'23 | 4½ | 4.30 | 4.00 |
| Chi., R. I. & Pac. | 1917-'27 | 4½@5 | 5.20 | 4.90 |
| C., St. L. & N. O. | 1917-'24 | 5 | 4.50 | 4.25 |
| C., C., C. & St. L. | 1917-'29 | 5 | 4.88 | 4.50 |
| Cuba Railroad | 1917-'26 | 5 | 5.50 | 5.00 |
| Delaware & Hud. | 1922 | 4½ | 4.50 | 4.20 |
| Erie Railroad | 1917-'26 | 4½@5 | 4.75 | 4.50 |
| Grand Trunk | 1917-'24 | 4½ | 5.00 | 4.50 |
| Illinois Central | 1917-'26 | 4½@5 | 4.40 | 4.20 |
| Louis. & Nash. | 1917-'23 | 5 | 4.35 | 4.20 |
| Michigan Central | 1917-'30 | 5 | 4.55 | 4.35 |
| Mo., Kan. & Tex. | 1917-'23 | 5 | 5.50 | 5.00 |
| Missouri Pacific | 1917-'22 | 5 | 5.50 | 5.00 |
| Mobile & Ohio | 1917-'24 | 4½@5 | 4.90 | 4.50 |
| N. Y. Cent. Lines | 1917-'28 | 4½@5 | 4.55 | 4.35 |
| Norf. & Western | 1917-'24 | 4½ | 4.30 | 4.00 |
| N. Y., N. H. & H. | 1917-'28 | 4½@6 | 4.75 | 4.50 |
| Pa. Gen. Freight | 1917-'23 | 4½@5 | 4.30 | 4.00 |
| St. Louis S. W. | 1917-'26 | 4½@5 | 5.12 | 4.88 |
| Seab'd Air Line | 1917-'26 | 5 | 4.75 | 4.50 |
| Southern Pacific | 1917-'26 | 4½ | 4.50 | 4.25 |
| Southern Ry. | 1917-'24 | 4½@5 | 4.65 | 4.40 |

### German Bank Statement.

BERLIN, (via London,) March 13.—The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany issued March 7, shows the following changes:

| | Marks. |
|---|---|
| Total coin and bullion increased | 1,652,000 |
| Gold increased | 1,668,000 |
| Treasury notes decreased | 53,075,000 |
| Notes of other banks increased | 2,872,000 |
| Bills discounted increased | 31,711,000 |
| Advances decreased | 2,418,000 |
| Investments increased | 1,887,000 |
| Other securities increased | 28,712,000 |
| Notes in circulation increased | 56,808,000 |
| Deposits decreased | 86,021,000 |
| Other liabilities decreased | 9,446,000 |

Total gold holdings, 2,528,977,000 marks.

# STEEL CORPORATION OFFERS FINAL PLEA

## Defense Ends Argument in the Supreme Court Hearing of Dissolution Suit.

## GOVERNMENT CLOSES TODAY

### Petition to Dismiss the Individual Charges Against the Rockefellers Presented.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Arguments for the defense in the Government's dissolution suit against the United States Steel Corporation were concluded today in the Supreme Court, and Solicitor General Davis began the final plea for the Department of Justice. He will conclude tomorrow.

Denying monopolistic intent, effect, or promise by the corporation, C. A. Severance of St. Paul declared, in closing for the defense, that it "is a blessing that there is in this country such an organization, so strong and so efficient that it can go out and capture the markets of the world."

To the charge that the corporation controls 90 per cent. of the foreign steel trade, Mr. Severance said it was not attained through crushing competitors, but through "enterprising initiative." Prices, he said, had not been fixed by domination, but by competition, and competitors of the corporation had increased greatly, in both numbers and strength.

In beginning the final summing up for the Government, Solicitor General Davis said that the possible use of the corporation's potential power was more important to consider than its past conduct.

"The Government brings this suit," he said, "in the belief that a combination of able competitors in any trade so as to suppress competition between themselves is a violation of the Sherman law, if such restraint is undue, and it is undue when combining competitors possess a preponderant or dominant share. Intent of combination cannot relieve from condemnation of the law."

Reciting how early pools were followed by combinations of the corporation's constituent subsidiaries and then by the "huge merger," Mr. Davis said not one of the subsidiaries "could alone stand the test of legality of the Sherman act."

"Their organizers had but two purposes in mind," he continued, "to escape the disadvantages of competition and to secure the profits of stock promotion. These illegal subsidiaries are still living, but their ownership and management is all centred and their policies directed by a handful of men comprising the committees of the corporation."

An argument regarding the Government's charges of excessive ore holdings by the corporation was made by David A. Reed for the defendants. He said all experts testified that an ore monopoly is "humanly impossible," and Federal official reports showed that supplies of ore in Minnesota alone were sufficient for all users for two thousand years.

When Mr. Reed told how "terrific" rises and drops in prices, demoralizing commerce, were general before and virtually absent since the corporation was formed, Justice Pitney interrupted to ask if the Sherman law is to be used to stabilize prices. The attorney replied that it was only fair to take into consideration the general beneficial effect of the corporation on the industry.

Earlier in the day a petition asking dismissal of the individual charges against John D. Rockefeller and John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was presented by their special counsel, George Wellwood Murray. He argued that the Rockefellers were specifically absolved by the lower court, took no part in forming the corporation, and were named merely because the senior Rockefeller sold to the corporation after it was organized. Although both were made corporation directors, he said, the elder Mr. Rockefeller never attended a meeting, and both retired from the directorate in 1902.

## B. R. T. OFFICIALS FREED.

### Charges That Cars Were Not Properly Heated Are Dropped.

The complaint against Colonel Timothy S. Williams, President of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company; Slaughter W. Huff, Vice President; Charles T. Roehl, Electrical Engineer, and William Siebert, Superintendent of Transportation, charging them with having violated an order of the Public Service Commission relating to the heating of cars, was dismissed yesterday by Justices O'Keefe, Salmon, and Edwards in Special Sessions, Brooklyn.

Following this action, District Attorney Harry E. Lewis, who conducted the prosecution, moved that the eight remaining charges of similar nature against the four defendants and three other officials of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company be stricken from the court calendar indefinitely. This was done.

In granting the motion Justice Edwards said:

"The items of proof lacking here to support the charges are: First, the showing of any duty neglected by each defendant which was imposed upon him by his official relation to the corporation affected by the order; second, the establishing of a casual connection of any kind or omission of any of the defendants with the prohibited condition as to temperature found to exist in the car designated."

Presiding Justice O'Keefe said: "I feel that the corporation itself is liable to conviction on the presentation of proper proof in this charge rather than the officials."

### Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Forecast:

N. Car.—Rain Wed. or Wed. night; warmer. Thurs. fair; colder in cent. and w.; moderate n. e. to s. e. winds.

S. Car.—Cloudy Wed.; rain at night or Thurs.; colder Thurs. in the interior; moderate n. e. to s. e. winds, becoming variable Thurs.

Fla.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; colder Thurs. in n.; moderate e. winds over s., moderate s., shifting to n. w., over cent., and n. Wed. night and Thurs.

Ga.—Cloudy Wed.; rain at night. Thurs. colder and probably fair; moderate s. winds, shifting to n. w., Wed.

Ala.—Rain Wed.; colder in n. and w. Thurs. fair; colder; moderate s. winds, shifting to n. w.

Miss.—Rain and colder Wed. Thurs. fair; moderate shifting winds, becoming n. w. and n.

Tenn.—Rain Wed., colder in w. and by night in e. Thurs. fair, colder in e.

Ky.—Rain Wed., colder in w. Thurs. fair, colder in cent. and e., fresh to strong winds, becoming n. w.

Ind.—Rain Wed., colder in s. w. Thurs. colder and fair; fresh to strong, shifting winds, becoming n. w.

Lower Mich.—Snow in n., snow or rain in s. Wed. Thurs. snow, fresh to strong shifting winds, becoming n. w.

Upper Mich.—Snow Wed. Thurs. snow; fresh to strong n. e. to n. winds.

Ohio—Rain in s., rain or snow in n. Wed. Thurs. snow and colder; fresh to strong e. to s. winds, shifting to n. w. by Thurs.

Ill.—Fair Wed. and Thurs., preceded by unsettled in n.; colder Wed., with diminishing w. winds.

Mo.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; colder in e. Wed.

Wis.—Rain or snow, followed by fair Wed. Thurs., fair, with diminishing w. gale.

Minn.—Snow, followed by fair Wed afternoon or night. Thurs., fair; shifting gale, diminishing.

Iowa—Cloudy and colder Wed. Thurs., fair, with diminishing w. winds.

N. Dak.—Cloudy Wed. and Thurs.; probably snow in e. Wed.

S. Dak.—Cloudy Wed. and Thurs.

Neb., W. Tex., and Kan.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.

La.—Unsettled Wed. in s. e., fair in n. and w.; colder Thurs., fair.

Ark.—Fair Wed., colder in e. and s. Thurs. fair.

Okla.—Fair Wed., warmer in s. and cent. Thurs. fair.

E. Texas—Fair Wed., colder in s. e. and e. cent. Thurs. fair.

## FIGHT IN DISTILLERS CO.

### Two Factions Seek Proxies for Meeting on March 21.

The annual meeting of the Distillers Securities Corporation, on March 21, promises important developments in view of the fact that two proxy committees are seeking votes. The point of contention between the management and the opposing faction lies in the steps being taken to dissolve the Distilling Company of America, chief subsidiary of the securities corporation. At the last annual meeting the shareholders voted to wind up this concern's affairs, but opposition on the part of the holders of stocks guaranteed by the distilling company has brought court action and delay. Samuel M. Rice, former President of the distilling company is seeking proxies to be voted in favor of a postponement until some time in the future of the dissolution proceedings.

A letter sent to shareholders on March 3, by Charles H. Stoll, attorney for Mr. Rice, brought, on March 7, a reply from Alvin W. Krech, Chairman of the Distillers Securities Directorate, in which the stockholders were asked to support the management and do away with the danger of "the restoration of the Rice control." Yesterday another letter from Mr. Stoll reached the shareholders, stating that a change of control was not being sought. The letter demanded to know what the corporation properties actually were worth and referred to a statement credited to Julius Kessler, President of the Distillers Securities organization, which said the plants were worth only a fraction of $31,123,550.

"What is meant by 'only a fraction,'" says Mr. Stoll's letter, "is, of course, left to conjecture; but the properties which your Board of Directors now would have you believe are 'worth only a fraction of $31,123,550' were certified by the same Board of Directors, in the statement published Aug. 21, 1916, to be worth $43,452,619, not including net current assets of $12,925,434, making a total of $56,378,054."

### Declines Tariff Commission Post.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Patrick Henry Callahan of Louisville, to whom was offered an appointment by President Wilson to the Federal Tariff Commision, has declined.

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### STOCKS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Closing.— Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 60 | Cities Service | 295½ | 293 | 294 | 296 |

Closing quotations for issues which are not included in the above table of transactions were reported as follows:

### CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

#### Stocks.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Adirondack Elec. Power | 24 | 26 |
| Adiron. Elec. Pow. pf. | 82 | 84 |
| American Cities | 5 | 15 |
| American Cities pf. | 82 | 83½ |
| American Gas | 118 | 120 |
| Am. Gas & Electric | 137 | 140 |
| Am. Gas & Elec. pf. | 51 | 52 |
| Am. Light & Traction | 355 | 358 |
| Am. Light & Trac. pf. | 112 | 113 |
| Am. Power & Light | 84 | 86 |
| Am. Power & Light pf. | 91 | 92 |
| Am. Public Utilities | 35 | 38 |
| Am. Pub. Utilities pf. | 70 | 72 |
| Am. Water Works & E. | 12 | 12½ |
| Am. W. W. & E. 1st pf. | 75 | 76 |
| Am. W. W. & E. part. | 28½ | 30 |
| Appalachian Power | 6½ | 7½ |
| Appalachian Power pf. | 37 | 41 |
| Carolina Power & Light | 40 | 43 |
| Carolina Pow. & Lt. pf. | 97 | 100 |
| Cent. Miss. V. Prop. pf. | 70 | 75 |
| Central States Electric | 15 | 16½ |
| Central States Elec. pf. | 73 | 76 |
| Cities Service pf. | 90 | 90½ |
| Colorado Power | 30½ | 32 |
| Colorado Power pf. | 99 | 100 |
| Commonwealth P. & L. | 57½ | 59 |
| Com'wealth P. & L. pf. | 80 | 82 |
| Columbus Electric pf. | 80 | 85 |
| Connecticut Power pf. | 94 | 96 |
| Consumers' Power pf. | 97 | 99 |
| Dayton Power & L. pf. | 93 | 96 |
| Duluth Edison pf. | 80 | 85 |
| Eastern Texas Electric | 62 | 65 |
| Eastern Texas El. pf. | 85 | 89 |
| Electric B. & S. pf. | 99½ | 100 |
| Electric Properties | 60 | 64 |
| El Paso Electric | .. | 113 |
| El Paso Electric pf. | 100 | .. |
| Empire Properties | 60 | 64 |
| Empire D. Electric | 88 | 92 |
| Federal Light & Trac. | 14 | 15½ |
| Fed. L. & T. pf. | 50 | 52½ |
| Galveston-Hous. Elec. | 34¾ | .. |
| Gal.-Hous. Electric pf. | 77 | 81 |
| Gas & Elec. Securities | 300 | 325 |
| Gas & Elec. Secur. pf. | 94 | 96 |
| Illinois Traction | .. | 46 |
| International Traction | 49 | 51 |

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| International Trac. pf. | 90 | 92 |
| Interstate Electric | 30 | 42 |
| Interstate Elec. pf. | 90 | 95 |
| Lincoln Gas & Electric | 47 | 49 |
| Miss. River Power | 9 | 10 |
| Miss. River Power pf. | 35 | 39 |
| Northern Ohio Electric | 41 | 44 |
| Northern Ohio Elec. pf. | 79½ | 81½ |
| North Ont. Lt. & Pow. | 10 | 15 |
| North. Ont. L. & P. pf. | 52 | 57 |
| Northern States Power | 101 | 103 |
| Northern States P. pf. | 99 | 100 |
| Northern Texas Elec. | 59 | .. |
| Northern Texas El. pf. | 81 | 85 |
| Ozark Power & Water | 44 | 45 |
| Pacific Gas & Electric | 64½ | 65 |
| Pacific Gas & Elec. pf. | 93 | 94 |
| Penn. Light | 38 | 42 |
| Penn. Light pf. | 78 | 83 |
| Pine Bluff 7 p. c. pf. | 94 | 98 |
| Puget Sound Traction | 27 | 30½ |
| Puget Sound Trac. pf. | 73 | .. |
| Public Service Inc. pf. | 83 | 86 |
| Republ. Ry. & Light | 42 | 43 |
| Republic Ry. & Lt. pf. | 72½ | 74 |
| Secur. Corp. gen. | 25 | 30 |
| Secur. Corp. gen. pf. | 83 | 86 |
| Sierra Pac. El. pf. | 75 | .. |
| Southern Cal. Edison | 92 | 94 |
| South. Cal. Edison pf. | 106 | 108 |
| Southw. P. & L. pf. | 97½ | 100 |
| Spgfld. L., H. & P. pf. | 97 | 99¼ |
| Standard Gas & Elec. | 13 | 14 |
| Standard Gas & El. pf. | 40 | 40½ |
| Tampa Electric | 122 | 127 |
| Tenn. Ry., L. & Power | 8 | 8½ |
| Tenn. Ry., L. & P. pf. | 35 | 40 |
| Texas Pow. & Lt. pf. | 98 | 100 |
| Toledo Traction | 53 | 55 |
| United Gas & Electric | 10 | 12 |
| United Gas & El. 1st pf. | 75 | 79 |
| United Gas & El. 2d pf. | 12 | 15 |
| United Gas Imp. | 89 | 89¼ |
| United Light & Rys. | 48 | 50 |
| United L. & R. 1st pf. | 77 | 79 |
| Western Power | 17 | 19 |
| Western Power pf. | 64½ | 66 |
| West. Penn. pf. | 105 | 107 |
| Yadkin River P. 7% pf. | 99 | 101 |

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| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Am. Cities 5s-6s, '19 | 98½ | 99½ |
| Am. W. W. & E. coll. 5s | 79½ | 81 |
| Appa. Power 5s, 1932 | 81 | 84 |
| Baton Rouge Elec. 5s | 90 | 93½ |
| Cent. P. & L. 1st 6s | 97 | 100 |
| Central Ill. Light 5s | 96½ | 98 |
| Cape Breton El., Ltd., 1st 5s | 89 | 93 |
| Cin., G. & E. Co. 1st 5s, 1956 | 100 | 101 |
| Col. G. & E. 1st 5s, '27 | 88½ | 90 |
| Col. G. & E. deb. 5s, '27 | 79 | 83 |
| Com'wealth P. (Neb.) 1st 6s, 1944 | 98 | 101 |
| Conn. Power 1st 5s | 95 | 99 |
| Cum. Co. P. & L. 1st ref. 5s, 1942 | 96 | 99 |
| Cum. Gas & El. 1st 5s | 100½ | 101½ |
| Dallas Electric 5s, 1917 | 99½ | 100 |
| Defiance G. & E. 5s, '42 | 91 | 94 |
| Denver G. & E. gen. 5s | 99 | 100 |
| East. Ohio 1st 5s | 100 | 102 |
| East. Tex. Elec. 6s, '18 | 99¾ | .. |
| East. Tex. Elec. col. 5s | 92 | 95 |
| El Paso Electric 5s | 96 | 99 |
| Fed. Light & Tr. 5s | 87½ | 90 |
| Fed. Light & Tr. 6s | 96 | 93 |
| Galveston Elec. 1st 5s | 91 | 95 |
| Gt. Lakes P. 6s, '19-'35 | 99 | 101 |
| Gt. West. Pow. 5s, '46 | 87 | 90 |
| Gt. West. Pow. 6s, '25 | 97 | 100 |
| Houston Electric 1st 5s | 98 | .. |
| I. R., L. & P. 1st 6s, '42 | 99 | 102 |
| Ken. Pub. Svc. 5s, '41 | 93 | 96 |
| Knox. Gas 1st 5s, '36 | 90 | 95 |
| L. G. & E. Co. 1st 5s, '41 | 92 | 96½ |

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Mich. Light 5s, 1946 | 97¼ | 99 |
| Middle West U. 6s, '25 | 98 | 99 |
| Man. & S. R. & L. 5s | 99½ | 100 |
| Miss. R. P. Co. 1st 5s | 76½ | 78 |
| Miss. V. G. & E. 5s, '22 | 92 | 95 |
| Nev.-Cal. Elec. 6s, '46 | 97 | 99 |
| N. O. L. & P. 1st 6s, '31 | 83 | 88 |
| Nor. States P. 6s, 1926 | 100 | 100¾ |
| Nor. States Pow. 5s, '41 | 96 | 98 |
| Nor. Tex. El. col. tr. 5s | 90 | 94 |
| Ohio Gas 1st 5s, 1939 | 100½ | 102 |
| O. & C. B. Ry. 1st 5s, '28 | 95 | 98 |
| P., G. & E. (Ariz.) 6s, '31 | 95 | 100 |
| Pensacola Elec. 1st 5s | 86 | 90 |
| Portland Gen. Elec. 5s | 99 | 101 |
| Puget Sd. Trac. notes | 99 | 100 |
| Seattle Elec. con. 5s | 93½ | 97 |
| Stand. Gas & El. 6% notes, 1935 | 93 | 96 |
| Stand. G. of N. J. 5s, '46 | 94 | 96 |
| So. Cal. Ed. 5s, 1939 | 97 | 99 |
| Tampa Elec. 1st 5s | 97 | .. |
| Twin State Gas & El. 5s, 1953 | 91 | 92 |
| Un. Light & Rys. 1st 5s, 1932 | 89 | 91 |
| Un. Light & Rys. deb. 6s, 1926 | 97½ | 99 |
| United Util. cv. 6s, '43 | 97½ | 98½ |
| U. S. S., R. & M. 6s, '26 | 111 | 113 |
| W. W. Light 6s, 1925 | 96 | 98 |
| Western Power 1st 5s | 99 | 100 |
| West. S. G. & E. 1st 5s | 91½ | 93¼ |
| West P. Pen. 1st 5s, '46 | 97½ | 98½ |
| Wis. Edison 6s, '24 | 98½ | 99½ |

## OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

### PHILADELPHIA.

#### Stocks.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | Am. Gas N. J. | 120 | 120 | 120 |
| 10 | Cambria Iron | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| 20 | Gen. Asph. pf. | 65 | 65 | 65 |
| 1 | Insur. N. A. | 26 | 26 | 26 |
| 4,030 | LakeSup. Cor. | 22¾ | 21⅝ | 22½ |
| 23 | Lehigh Val. | 68⅝ | 66⅞ | 66⅞ |
| 28 | Lehigh Nav. | 82 | 82 | 82 |
| 173 | Lit Bros. | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| 343 | Pennsylvania | 54⅛ | 53⅞ | 54⅛ |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 | Phila. Elec. | 32¾ | 32⅝ | 32⅝ |
| 810 | Phila. Co. pf. | 41½ | 40½ | 40½ |
| 1,629 | Phil. R. T. t. c. | 30¼ | 30 | 30¼ |
| 95 | Reading | 95⅝ | 94 | 95½ |
| 115 | Ton. Belm't. | 4⅝ | 4½ | 4½ |
| 15 | Union Trac. | 43⅝ | 43⅝ | 43⅝ |
| 50 | War. I. & S. | 9½ | 9½ | 9½ |
| 25 | W. Cramp & S. | 88 | 88 | 88 |

#### Bonds.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $2,000 | I'state Ry. 4s | 55½ | 55½ | 55½ |
| 7,000 | Leh. V. 4½s | 100⅞ | 100⅞ | 100⅞ |
| 3,000 | L. & N. E. 5s | 103½ | 103½ | 103½ |
| 2,000 | Pa. gen. 4½s | 102⅝ | 102⅝ | 102⅝ |
| $5,000 | Pm. Co. con. 5s | 94 | 94 | 94 |
| 6,000 | Rdg. gen. 4s | 94⅝ | 94⅛ | 94⅛ |
| 14,000 | Un. Ry. Inv. 5s | 70 | 69⅝ | 69⅝ |
| 14,000 | Welsbach 5s | 98⅛ | 98⅛ | 98⅛ |

### BOSTON.

#### Mining.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 100 | Adventure | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| 10 | Ahmeek | 105¼ | 103 | 103 |
| 110 | Alaska Gold | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 2,058 | Am. Zinc | 37 | 36 | 36⅞ |
| 50 | Do pf. | 68 | 68 | 68 |
| 50 | Arizona Com. | 13½ | 13½ | 13½ |
| 305 | Cal. & Ariz. | 82 | 81 | 82 |
| 20 | Cal. & Hecla | 560 | 558 | 558 |
| 40 | Centennial | 22 | 21½ | 21½ |
| 865 | Copper Rge. | 64½ | 63⅞ | 64 |
| 595 | Davis-Daly | 6 | 5⅞ | 5 15-16 |
| 140 | East Butte | 14¾ | 14½ | 14¾ |
| 20 | Hancock | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| 20 | Indiana | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| 100 | Inspiration | 59½ | 59½ | 59½ |
| 30 | Isle Royale | 33½ | 33 | 33 |
| 50 | Kerr Lake | 4 5-16 | 4 5-16 | 4 5-16 |
| 80 | Lake | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| 75 | La Salle | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 10 | Mason Valley | 6¼ | 6¼ | 6¼ |
| 103 | Mass Con. | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| 105 | Mayflower | 2⅞ | 2⅝ | 2⅞ |
| 10 | Miami | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| 60 | Mohawk | 85⅝ | 85½ | 85½ |
| 25 | Nevada Con. | 24½ | 24½ | 24½ |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 15 | New Arcadian | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| 248 | North Butte | 22½ | 22 | 22 |
| 100 | North Lake | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 100 | Ojibway | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 100 | Old Col. Min. | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| 120 | Old Dom. | 66½ | 66¼ | 66¼ |
| 67 | Osceola | 95 | 93¾ | 94 |
| 1,215 | Pond Creek | 21 | 20¼ | 21 |
| 128 | Quincy | 89 | 88 | 88 |
| 200 | Santa Fe | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| 30 | Shannon | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 1,651 | South Lake | 4⅝ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| 23 | Shan. & Ariz. | 12½ | 12 | 12½ |
| 200 | St. M. Land. | 87 | 84¾ | 85 |
| 50 | Sup. & Bos. | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 241 | Tamarack | 58⅝ | 57½ | 57½ |
| 240 | Trinity | 4¾ | 4½ | 4½ |
| 300 | Tuolumne | 1 11-16 | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| 470 | U. S. Smelt. | 63 | 62 | 62⅞ |
| 173 | Do pf. | 51 | 50½ | 50½ |
| 70 | Utah Apex. | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| 236 | Utah Con. | 18½ | 18½ | 18½ |
| 1,190 | Utah Metal. | 6¼ | 6 | 6¼ |
| 5 | Victoria | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ |
| 20 | Wolverine | 45 | 45 | 45 |

#### Railroads.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 | Atchison pf. | 99 | 99 | 99 |
| 6 | Bos. & Alb. | 171 | 171 | 171 |
| 55 | Boston Elev. | 73½ | 73¼ | 73½ |
| 25 | Bos. & Low. | 112 | 112 | 112 |
| 40 | Mass. El. pf. | 25 | 23 | 25 |
| 80 | New Haven | 43¼ | 42⅞ | 42⅞ |
| 20 | Old Colony | 121 | 120½ | 120½ |
| 220 | Rutland pf. | 33 | 30 | 32½ |
| 15 | W. E. St. R. pf. | 71 | 71 | 71 |

#### Miscellaneous.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 | Am. Ag. Ch. | 91 | 91 | 91 |
| 55 | Do pf. | 101½ | 101 | 101½ |
| 10 | Af. Pn. Serv. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 50 | Art Metals | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| 32 | Am. Sug. pf. | 120 | 119⅞ | 119⅞ |
| 15 | Am. Woolen | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| 107 | Do pf. | 99½ | 99 | 99½ |
| 1,485 | A., G. & W. I. | 106¼ | 103⅝ | 105 |
| 5 | Do pf. | 61 | 61 | 61 |
| 15 | Cuban Cem. | 16½ | 16½ | 16½ |
| 93 | Edison Elec. | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| 4 | Ga. Ry. & El. | 127½ | 127½ | 127½ |
| 15 | Int. Port. C. | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 13 | Mass. El. pf. | 101 | 101 | 101 |
| 160 | Mass. Gas | 90⅝ | 90 | 90¼ |
| 84 | Do pf. | 79⅝ | 79⅝ | 79⅝ |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 250 | New River | 28½ | 27½ | 28 |
| 150 | Do pf. | 88¼ | 88¼ | 88¼ |
| 50 | N. E. C. Y. | 80 | 80 | 80 |
| 39 | N. E. Tel. | 124¼ | 123½ | 124¼ |
| 140 | P. Alle. Sug. | 32 | 31 | 31 |
| 42 | Pacific Mills | 144½ | 144 | 144½ |
| 5 | Reece Button | 14⅝ | 14⅝ | 14⅝ |
| 12 | Swift | 142 | 142 | 142 |
| 115 | Torrington | 66¼ | 64 | 64 |
| 27 | United Fruit | 142½ | 141 | 141 |
| 436 | Un. Shoe M. | 55⅞ | 54⅝ | 55⅞ |
| 1,120 | Do pf. | 29½ | 29 | 29⅛ |
| 2 | T. G. Plant. | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| 80 | United Drug | 80 | 80 | 80 |
| 105 | Ventura Oil | 7⅝ | 7⅝ | 7⅝ |

#### Bonds.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $5,000 | Am. Ag. Ch. 5s, 1924 | 100½ | 100¼ | 100¼ |
| 5,000 | Am. T. & T. 4s | 91½ | 91⅜ | 91⅜ |
| 18,000 | Do 5s | 101⅝ | 100⅞ | 101 |
| 10,000 | A., G. & W. I. 5s | 80 | 79 | 79 |
| $1,000 | K. M. B. inc. | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| 1,000 | P. Al. Sug. 6s | 87 | 87 | 87 |
| 10,000 | Swift 5s | 101 | 101 | 101 |
| 1,000 | U. S. Steel 5s | 106¼ | 106¼ | 106¼ |
| 6,000 | West. Tel. 5s | 99⅝ | 99⅝ | 99⅝ |

### BALTIMORE.

#### Stocks.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | A. S. & G. | 38 | 38 | 38 |
| 11 | Balt. El. pf. | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| 300 | Con. Coal | 107 | 106½ | 107 |
| 200 | Con. Power | 123 | 123 | 123 |
| 1,900 | Cosden Ref. | 15¼ | 15 | 15¼ |
| 275 | Cos. O. & G. | 15 | 14⅞ | 14⅞ |
| 200 | Do pf. | 5⅛ | 5⅛ | 5⅛ |
| 965 | Dav. Chem. | 38¾ | 38 | 38 |
| 11 | Exch. Bank. | 158 | 158 | 158 |
| 192 | Elkhorn | 25½ | 25 | 25½ |
| 50 | Do pf. | 47⅞ | 47⅞ | 47⅞ |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 25 | Fed. & Dep. | 134¼ | 134¼ | 134¼ |
| 100 | Int. Cot. M., (Mass) | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| 12 | Mt. V. Mills | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| 17 | Do pf. | 60¼ | 60¼ | 60¼ |
| 23 | Penn. W. P. | 78 | 77½ | 78 |
| 5 | United Rys. | 33 | 33 | 33 |
| 10 | U. S. F. & D. | 109½ | 109½ | 109½ |
| 1 | Symington | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| 25 | Do pf. | 100 | 100 | 100 |

#### Bonds.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $1,000 | A. & Pot. 5s | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| 5,000 | Con. C. ref. 5s | 94¼ | 94¼ | 94¼ |
| 1,000 | Con. Coal 6s | 105½ | 105½ | 105½ |
| 1,000 | Coal & C. 5s | 96 | 96 | 96 |
| 1,000 | Car. Cent. 4s | 88⅛ | 88⅛ | 88⅛ |
| 18,000 | Cosden 6s | 103½ | 103 | 103½ |
| $1,000 | C. O. & G. 6s | 107½ | 107½ | 107½ |
| 1,000 | Elkhorn 6s | 100½ | 100½ | 100½ |
| 11,000 | Ga. & A. 5s | 101½ | 101½ | 101½ |
| 1,000 | Lake R. 5s | 104⅝ | 104⅝ | 104⅝ |
| 2,000 | S., F. & W. 6s | 106½ | 106½ | 106½ |
| 2,000 | Un. Ry. inc. 4s | 65⅝ | 65¼ | 65⅝ |

### PITTSBURGH.

#### Stocks.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 160 | Am. W. G. M. | 53½ | 53 | 53½ |
| 57 | Caney River | 48⅝ | 48½ | 48½ |
| 8,700 | Cable Con. | 11c | 10c | 11c |
| 150 | Diana Mines | 49c | 49c | 49c |
| 1,000 | Gold Bar | 42c | 42c | 42c |
| 40 | Harb. Walk. | 159 | 159 | 159 |
| 35 | Ind. Brew. | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| 50 | La B. I. & S. | 87 | 87 | 87 |
| 25 | Lone Star | 97½ | 97½ | 97½ |
| 335 | Mfrs.' L. & H. | 66¼ | 66 | 66¼ |
| 60 | Nat. Fire Pr. | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 140 | Nat. Fire P. pf. | 16½ | 16½ | 16½ |
| 25 | Nat. Ben Fr. | 80 | 80 | 80 |
| 345 | Oho F. Sup. | 51¼ | 51 | 51 |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 130 | Ohio Fuel Oil | 20⅝ | 20½ | 20½ |
| 200 | Okl. Nat. Gas | 100½ | 100½ | 100½ |
| 20 | Osage & Okl. | 120 | 120 | 120 |
| 15 | Pitts. Pl. Gl. | 121½ | 121½ | 121½ |
| 1,370 | Pure Oil | 23½ | 23 | 23½ |
| 260 | Pitts. O. & G. | 13½ | 13 | 13 |
| 1,300 | Pitts. Consol. | 9c | 9c | 9c |
| 500 | Pitts. Jerome | 80c | 78c | 78c |
| 1,000 | Mt. Shasta | 75c | 75c | 75c |
| 100 | Ross Mining | 20c | 20c | 20c |
| 1,000 | San Toy | 16c | 16c | 16c |
| 20 | W'h'se Air B. | 149½ | 149½ | 149½ |
| 260 | W'house Elec. | 51 | 51 | 51 |
| 25 | West. M'land | 23 | 23 | 23 |

#### Bonds.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $500 | Pitts. C. deb. 5s | 99⅝ | 99⅝ | 99⅝ |

### CHICAGO.

#### Stocks.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | Am. Radiat. | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| 198 | Am. Ship. | 64 | 63½ | 63½ |
| 85 | Booth Fish. | 77 | 76 | 77 |
| 2 | C. C. & Conn. Rys. pf. | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 10 | Ch. Rys. Ser. 2 | 19⅞ | 19⅞ | 19⅞ |
| 25 | Do Ser. 4 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| 10 | Chi. T. & T. | 213 | 213 | 213 |
| 100 | Cudahy | 111⅝ | 111⅝ | 111⅝ |
| 5 | Com. Edison | 135 | 135 | 135 |
| 9 | Dia. Match | 122 | 121½ | 122 |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Linde Air | 265 | 265 | 265 |
| 25 | Lindsay Lt. | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| 19 | Mont. Wd. pf. | 117 | 116⅝ | 117 |
| 10 | Nat. Carbon | 320 | 320 | 320 |
| 40 | Peo. Gas | 97⅝ | 97 | 97 |
| 895 | Sears-Roebk. | 229½ | 228¼ | 228¼ |
| 15 | Shaw | 60 | 60 | 60 |
| 823 | Stew. Warn. | 81¾ | 81 | 81¾ |
| 515 | Swift & Co. | 142 | 141½ | 142 |
| 126 | Un. Carbide | 202 | 200½ | 200½ |
| 65 | Wilson | 63½ | 63 | 63½ |

#### Bonds.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $2,000 | Com. Edison | 102 | 102 | 102 |
| 18,000 | P. S. of Nor. Il. | 94½ | 94½ | 94½ |
| $1,000 | Swift 1st 5s | 101¼ | 101¼ | 101¼ |

## MUNITIONS STOCKS

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aetna pf. | 25 | 30 | 25 |
| American Brass | 327 | 332 | 330 |
| Atlas Powder | 154 | 159 | 153 |
| Do pf. | 100 | 102 | 99 |
| Babcock & Wilcox | 120 | 124 | 120 |
| Bliss | 530 | 560 | 540 |
| Do pf. | 73 | 78 | 73 |
| Can. F. & F. | 175 | 185 | 175 |
| Can. Explosives | 400 | 500 | 400 |
| Do pf. | 104 | 116 | 104 |

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Colt's Arms | 780 | 800 | 790 |
| Du Pont | 230 | 235 | 230 |
| Du Pont deb. | 101 | 104 | 101 |
| Hercules Powder | 290 | 300 | 290 |
| Do pf. | 116 | 119 | 116 |
| Inter. Arms | 22 | 26 | 22 |
| Niles-Bem't-Pond | 174 | 179 | 175 |
| Scovill Mfg. | 635 | 650 | 630 |
| Winchester Arms | 750 | 900 | 750 |

## TOBACCO STOCKS

Closing quotations of stocks not quoted elsewhere:

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| American Cigar | 113 | 116 | 113 |
| Do pf | 99 | 101 | 98 |
| Conley Foil | 250 | 325 | 250 |
| J. S. Young | 165 | 175 | 165 |
| Do pf. | 107 | 112 | 107 |
| Johnson T. F. & M. | 100 | 130 | 100 |

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| MacAndrews & F. | 208 | 218 | 208 |
| Do. pf | 99 | 102 | 99 |
| P. R.-Am. Tob. | 230 | 250 | 230 |
| R. J. Reynolds | 560 | 600 | 560 |
| Do pf | 117 | 123 | 117 |
| Do warrants | 15 | 20 | 15 |

## CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE

From a lower level at the start of the day, the market on the Consolidated Stock Exchange rallied well. Good resisting power was displayed in the face of the announcement overnight of a threatened nation-wide railroad strike, in addition to the international developments and the uncertainty regarding President Wilson's illness. Commission houses handled a large business in odd lots. This was broadly distributed. United States Steel common was the most active stock.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 100 | Am. B. Sug. | 92⅝ | 91⅝ | 92 |
| 120 | Am. Can | 44⅞ | 44¼ | 44¾ |
| 150 | Am. Loco. | 70½ | 69⅞ | 70½ |
| 990 | Am. S. & R. | 106 | 103⅝ | 104⅝ |
| 10 | Am. Sugar | 113 | 113 | 113 |
| 80 | Am. Woolen | 50¼ | 50 | 50¼ |
| 100 | Am. Zinc | 37½ | 36⅝ | 37½ |
| 2,340 | Anac. Cop. | 84½ | 83⅛ | 83⅝ |
| 50 | A., G. & W. I. | 103⅞ | 103⅞ | 103⅞ |
| 100 | Bald. Loco. | 52⅝ | 51⅞ | 52⅝ |
| 100 | Balt. & Ohio | 75⅞ | 75⅞ | 75⅞ |
| 50 | Cal. Petrol. | 24 | 23⅞ | 24 |
| 1,960 | Cent. Leather | 91⅝ | 89⅛ | 90⅝ |
| 50 | Ches. & Ohio | 58 | 57⅝ | 58 |
| 100 | C., M. & St. P. | 81 | 80⅝ | 80⅞ |
| 150 | Chile Copper | 26 | 25⅛ | 26 |
| 150 | Chino Copper | 59 | 58 | 58⅝ |
| 150 | Col. F. & I. | 47 | 46½ | 47 |
| 60 | Colum. Gas | 44 | 43⅞ | 44 |
| 350 | Corn Prod. | 23½ | 22⅞ | 23¼ |
| 1,060 | Crucible St'l | 66½ | 64⅝ | 66 |
| 850 | CubaCaneSu. | 43⅛ | 42 | 43 |
| 590 | Erie | 26¼ | 26 | 26¼ |
| 100 | Gen. Motors | 120 | 119 | 120 |
| 180 | Inspir. Cop. | 60¼ | 59⅝ | 60¼ |
| 500 | Int. Mer. M. | 27⅞ | 26 | 27¼ |
| 1,200 | Do pf. | 75½ | 73 | 75¼ |
| 30 | Int. Nickel | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| 850 | Int. Paper | 44⅝ | 41⅞ | 44¼ |
| 530 | Kenne. Cop. | 45½ | 44⅞ | 45 |
| 150 | Lack. Steel | 84 | 83½ | 83½ |
| 680 | Lehigh Val. | 68⅛ | 66⅝ | 67⅞ |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | Max. Motor | 55½ | 54½ | 55½ |
| 760 | Mex. Petrol. | 87⅝ | 86 | 87½ |
| 10 | Mo., K. & T. | 7½ | 7½ | 7½ |
| 100 | Nat. E. & S. | 34¼ | 33⅞ | 34 |
| 400 | N. Y. Cent. | 95⅛ | 94⅝ | 94⅝ |
| 450 | N. Y., N. H. & H. | 43½ | 42⅝ | 42⅝ |
| 150 | Pit. Coal tr. r. | 47⅝ | 46⅝ | 46⅞ |
| 100 | Ray Copper | 29 | 28⅝ | 29 |
| 1,650 | Reading | 95 | 93⅞ | 94½ |
| 360 | Rep. I. & S. | 79¼ | 78⅝ | 79 |
| 100 | So. Pacific | 94 | 93⅝ | 93⅝ |
| 410 | So. Railway | 27½ | 27 | 27⅜ |
| 150 | Studebaker | 102½ | 101 | 102½ |
| 430 | Union Pac. | 136 | 134⅞ | 135⅝ |
| 1,360 | U. S. Ind A. | 121⅛ | 119⅝ | 121¼ |
| 90 | U. S. Rub. | 59⅛ | 59⅛ | 59⅛ |
| 27,920 | U. S. Steel | 111⅝ | 109⅝ | 110⅞ |
| 980 | Utah Copper | 111⅝ | 109⅝ | 111⅛ |
| 150 | Westing. El. | 51 | 50⅝ | 51 |
| | MINING STOCKS. | | | |
| 1,000 | Atlanta | .13½ | .13⅛ | .13⅛ |
| 600 | Kewanas | .20 | .20 | .20 |
| 1,500 | Morn. Glory | .17½ | .17 | .17 |
| 500 | Man. Cons. | .13 | .13 | .13 |
| 1,200 | Res. Eula | .27 | .27 | .27 |
| 200 | Sierra Nev. | .06 | .06 | .06 |
| 400 | Ton. Ext. | 3.62½ | 3.62½ | 3.62½ |
| 200 | Union Con. | .40 | .40 | .40 |
| 1,200 | Wh. Caps. | 1.37½ | 1.30 | 1.37½ |
| 1,400 | Yerington | .31 | .31 | .31 |

## CURB TRANSACTIONS

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to 507,427 shares of stocks and $265,000 of bonds. The sales of stocks were divided as follows: Industrials, 40,405; railroads, 100; oils, 121,000, and mining, 345,922. The range of prices of all issues in which transactions were recorded was:

### INDUSTRIALS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 500 | ‡Aetna Expl. | 4⅛ | 4 | 4 |
| 25 | Amer. B. Mfg. | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 2,500 | Am. Su. Tob. | 26⅝ | 25 | 25 |
| 100 | ‡Am. Wr. Pa. | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ |
| 100 | Hask. & B. Car Co. | 42½ | 42½ | 42½ |
| 1,500 | †‡Jop. Ore Sp. new | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 200 | Can. Nat. Gas | ½ | ½ | ½ |
| 2,200 | Carwen Steel | 13¼ | 12⅞ | 13 |
| 1,000 | Chev. Motor | 122 | 116 | 121 |
| 10 | ‡Cramp Ship. | 88 | 88 | 88 |
| 1,800 | ‡Elite Pl. St. | 7-16 | 7-16 | 7-16 |
| 350 | ‡Lake Tor. B. | *9¼ | 9 | 9 |
| 100 | ‡ Do 1st pf. | 8⅜ | 8⅜ | 8⅜ |
| 200 | ‡Lima Loco. | 58 | 57½ | 57½ |
| 10 | ‡LukensSteel | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| 40 | ‡ Do 1st pf. | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| 100 | Man. El. Sup. | 47½ | 47½ | 47½ |
| 1,000 | Marc. of Am. | 2⅞ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| 1,200 | Marlin Arms v. t. ctfs. | 94 | 89 | 93 |
| 500 | ‡Maxim Mun. | 3¼ | 3 | 3 |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10,700 | ‡Midv. Steel | 57⅞ | 56⅛ | 57⅝ |
| 25 | Nat. Acme | 35 | 35 | 35 |
| 400 | N. A. P. & P. | 6⅞ | 6⅝ | 6⅝ |
| 2,000 | ‡Pierce-Ar'w | 46½ | 44½ | 45½ |
| 1,000 | ‡Prud. Pict. | 4½ | 4 | 4½ |
| 500 | Redden M. T. w. i. | 22 | 21⅝ | 22 |
| 200 | ‡Rep. M. T. pf. | 97¼ | 97 | 97¼ |
| 200 | Smith & T. Transp. pf. | 9⅞ | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| 2,000 | Submar. Bt. v. t. ctfs. | 23½ | 22 | 22⅞ |
| 145 | ‡Super. Steel 1st pf. | 98½ | 97½ | 97½ |
| 2,000 | TriangleFilm v. t. ctfs. | 2½ | 1⅞ | 1⅞ |
| 2,000 | U. S. St'ship | 6⅞ | 6¼ | 6⅝ |
| 2,000 | ‡Un. Motors | 39⅝ | 39 | 39½ |
| 1,800 | ‡Un. Sug. w. i. | 35⅝ | 35⅝ | 35⅝ |
| 1,000 | ‡Wright-Mar. Aircraft | 8¼ | 7⅞ | 8 |
| 1,500 | ‡Zinc Cons. | 3 | 2⅞ | 3 |

### RAILROAD.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 100 | ‡Rock Island, w. i. | 36 | 36 | 36 |

### STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 75 | Ill. Pipe L. | 240 | 236 | 240 |
| 25 | Ohio Oil Co. | 389 | 388 | 388 |
| 160 | Stand. O. Co., N. Y. | 309 | 302 | 305 |

### MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 500 | Alcoken Oil, (a prospect) | 2 | 1⅞ | 1⅞ |
| 700 | †Al. O. & G. | 57 | 55 | 57 |
| 1,200 | ‡B. O. & G. | 2⅞ | 2⅝ | 2⅞ |
| 1,000 | †Con. M. Oil, (a prospect) | 95 | 95 | 95 |
| 500 | ‡Cos. & Co., (oil ref) | 15½ | 15⅛ | 15⅛ |
| 1,000 | ‡Cos. O. & G. | 14⅞ | 14⅝ | 14⅞ |
| 300 | ‡Do pf. | 5⅛ | 5 | 5 |
| 15,000 | ‡Elk B. Pet. | 10⅝ | 10⅜ | 10⅝ |
| 1,500 | †Excel. Oil | 25 | 24 | 25 |
| 1,700 | ‡Federal Oil | 5 | 4¾ | 4¾ |
| 600 | ‡Int. Pet'm. | 12⅛ | 11⅝ | 12⅛ |
| 600 | K. O., (a pr) | 7-16 | ⅜ | ⅜ |
| 3,500 | ‡Mer. O. Cp. | 24 | 23 | 23½ |
| 4,500 | Met. Pet'm. | 2¼ | 2⅛ | 2⅛ |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 400 | ‡Mid.-C. Con. Oil & Ut. | 13½ | 13⅛ | 13⅜ |
| 12,000 | †‡Midwest O. | 82 | 78 | 80 |
| 500 | †‡Do pf. | 98 | 98 | 98 |
| 12,000 | †‡Okla. Oil | 12 | 11 | 11½ |
| 2,200 | ‡Do pf. | ⅞ | ⅝ | ¾ |
| 4,500 | O. P. & Ref. | 11 | 10⅝ | 11 |
| 2,500 | †O. O. & G. | 50 | 49 | 49 |
| 900 | ‡Osage-H. O. | 9 | 8¾ | 8⅞ |
| 2,540 | ‡Rice Oil | ½ | ⅜ | ½ |
| 4,000 | ‡Sap. O. & R | 11¼ | 10⅞ | 11¼ |
| 500 | Savoy Oil | 11 | 10¼ | 10¼ |
| 800 | S. P. & Ref. | 5⅝ | 5¼ | 5⅜ |
| 15,600 | Seq. O. & R. | 1⅝ | 1 7-16 | 1⅝ |
| 1,500 | ‡Sinclair Oil | 56 | 54¾ | 54⅞ |
| 23,000 | ‡Un. W. Oil | ⅞ | ¾ | ¾ |
| 4,800 | ‡Victoria Oil | 1¼ | 1 3-16 | 1¼ |
| 400 | †‡W. E. O. & G | 21 | 21 | 21 |

### MINING STOCKS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,100 | Alas.-British Col. Metals | 5-16 | 5-16 | 5-16 |
| 9,400 | Alas. Mines | 1 1-16 | 1¼ | 1 1-16 |
| 4,400 | †‡Al. St. Cop. | 33 | 31 | 33 |
| 3,800 | ‡Ariz. Chlor. | 7-16 | ⅜ | 7-16 |
| 100 | ‡Ariz. C'f'ds. | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| 5,600 | Big Jim | 1 1-16 | 1 1-16 | 1 1-16 |
| 3,200 | Big L. Cop. | *5⅞ | 5⅝ | 5⅝ |
| 400 | Bingh. Min. | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ |
| 4,800 | ‡Bisbee Cop., a prospect | 1⅛ | 1 | 1 1-16 |
| 4,200 | Bos. & Mon. | 68 | 64 | 66 |
| 500 | ‡Br. Cop. M. | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| 300 | Butte Cop. & Z., v. t. cfs. | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ |
| 500 | Butte Detr. | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| 4,200 | †‡Caledonia | 66 | 63 | 65 |
| 2,100 | ‡Cal. & Jer. | 1⅞ | 1¾ | 1 13-16 |
| 900 | Can. Copper | 2 | 1⅞ | 1 15-16 |
| 250 | Carlisle Min. | 6⅜ | 6¼ | 6⅜ |
| 100 | †Cashboy | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 4,000 | Con. Ar. Sm. | 2 3-16 | 2⅛ | 2 1-16 |
| 500 | ‡Con.-H'st'd. | ¾ | 11-16 | ¾ |
| 1,000 | Cr. Con. Gold | 6¼ | 6⅛ | 6½ |
| 800 | Crys. C. M. | 84 | 84 | 84 |
| 1,500 | ‡Dex. Mines | 7-16 | 7-16 | 7-16 |
| 3,000 | Ely Consol. | 13 | 12 | 13 |
| 9,100 | ‡Emma Con. | 1 5-16 | 1¼ | 1 5-16 |
| 250 | Dundee Ariz. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 5,000 | †Dome Ext. | 28 | 28 | 28 |
| 500 | First Nat. | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 28,000 | †‡Gila Canon | 60 | 55 | 57 |
| 700 | ‡GoldWar. M. | 63 | 63 | 63 |
| 8,300 | †Gold. Cons. | 60 | 58 | 58 |
| 1,000 | †‡Gold Merg. | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 2,000 | †‡Gt. Bend. | 6½ | 6 | 6½ |
| 10,000 | ‡Greenm. M. | 2 | 1¾ | 2 |
| 20,000 | HargravesM. | 22 | 20 | 20 |
| 1,750 | Hecla Min. | 8 | *7⅞ | 8 |
| 1,000 | Howe Sound | 7 | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| 13,500 | †Ind. Lead | 18 | 17 | 18 |
| 500 | Insp. Needles C. (a pros.) | ¼ | ¼ | ¼ |
| 500 | ‡Iron Blos. | 1 3-16 | 1 3-16 | 1 3-16 |
| 20,000 | Jerome Verde (a pros.) | 2 1-16 | 1 15-16 | 2 |
| 1,000 | †‡Jim Butler | 74 | 74 | 74 |
| 1,200 | Lo. Pr. M. C. | 1⅜ | 1¼ | 1⅜ |
| 700 | ‡Loon Lake | 55 | 55 | 55 |
| 2,300 | Louis. Cons. | 85 | 80 | 85 |

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,400 | Magma Cop. | 49 | 48¼ | 48¼ |
| 1,500 | †‡Magm'icC. | 24 | 19 | 24 |
| 7,500 | †‡MarshMin. | 16½ | 16 | 16½ |
| 1,400 | Marysv. G. M. | 1 1-16 | 1 | 1 1-16 |
| 1,100 | Mason Val. | 6½ | 6⅛ | 6½ |
| 7,000 | †‡Mogul M. | 66 | 52 | 66 |
| 2,300 | ‡MonsterChf. | ⅝ | 9-16 | ⅝ |
| 7,500 | †‡Moth. Lode | 41 | 40 | 40 |
| 1,100 | †‡Nan. H'ks Montana | 91 | 91 | 91 |
| 1,700 | ‡Nat. Z. & L. | 55 | 54 | 55 |
| 400 | New UtBing. | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| 1,200 | ‡Ohio Cop. new, w. i. | 1 5-16 | 1¼ | 1 5-16 |
| 7,000 | ‡†Old Em. L. | 43 | 38 | 40 |
| 1,500 | Prog. M. & M. | ½ | 7-16 | ½ |
| 300 | ‡Ray Her. M. | 4¼ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| 15,000 | †‡Ray Port. | 1⅞ | 1¾ | 1⅞ |
| 4,000 | †‡RexCon. M. | 40 | 38 | 39 |
| 25 | ‡Red War. M. | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 500 | †Roch. Min. | 56 | 56 | 56 |
| 500 | †‡Rd. Mount. | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| 1,200 | ‡Sac. Val. C. | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ |
| 7,600 | ‡Sta. Rita D. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 600 | Sen. Copper | 1⅝ | 1½ | 1⅝ |
| 1,000 | †Sioc. Star | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| 2,000 | Sil. K. of Ar. | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| 200 | S. K. C. of U. | 4⅛ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| 2,000 | †‡Silver Pick | 11 | 10 | 11 |
| 5,000 | Stewart | ½ | 7-16 | 7-16 |
| 4,100 | †‡Success M. | 52 | 48 | 50 |
| 300 | Stand. Sil.-L. | ¾ | ¾ | ¾ |
| 4,300 | †Sup., (a p.) | 45 | 43 | 44 |
| 350 | ‡Tom Reed | 2 1-16 | 2 1-16 | 2 1-16 |
| 3,500 | †T. Burns G. | 24 | 23 | 24 |
| 500 | Tono. Exten. | 3⅝ | 3⅝ | 3⅝ |
| 57 | Tono. Min. | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 5,000 | †Tono. R. E. | 28 | 28 | 28 |
| 5,000 | Tri-Bullion | ½ | ½ | ½ |
| 2,600 | †‡Troy-Ariz. | 59 | 57 | 59 |
| 500 | Un. Eastern | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |
| 3,000 | †‡U. S. C. M. | 8½ | 7½ | 8½ |
| 1,000 | †‡U. S. Tung. | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| 100 | ‡U. V. Ext. | 38½ | 38½ | 38½ |
| 1,000 | United Zinc | 5⅛ | 5 | 5⅛ |
| 150 | Unity G. M. | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| 800 | ‡Va. Mines | ⅞ | ¾ | ¾ |
| 37,500 | †Wh. C. Min. | 1 13-16 | 1 11-16 | 1⅝ |
| 14,600 | †Yer. M. C. | 32 | 31 | 32 |

### BONDS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $8,000 | ‡Am. Sm. 5s | 96⅞ | 96¾ | 96¾ |
| 85,000 | ‡Beth St. 5s, 2-yr. notes | 98⅛ | 98⅛ | 98⅛ |
| 40,000 | ‡Chile C. 6s | 100¼ | 100¼ | 100¼ |
| 1,000 | ‡Chile C. rts. | 3-16 | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| 2,000 | ‡Midv. St. 5s | 96¾ | 96¾ | 96¾ |
| 25,000 | ‡Russ. Gov. new 5½s | 87⅝ | 87¼ | 87½ |
| $2,000 | ‡Russ. G. 6½s | 95 | 95 | 95 |
| 7,000 | ‡So. Ry. 5% n. | 98⅞ | *98¾ | 98¾ |
| 85,000 | ‡U. S. Rub. new 5s | 92½ | 91¼ | 91½ |
| 10,000 | ‡W. Pac. n. 5s | 89 | 89 | 89 |

*Odd lot. †Sell cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

Note.—Monday 1,000 Triangle Film sold at 1¾.

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### CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Bid and asked quotations of stocks not traded in compared with those of previous day:

#### INDUSTRIALS.

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am.-Br. M. pf | 20 | 30 | 20 | 30 |
| Am. Drg Sy. | 10 | 15 | 10 | 12 |
| Am. Int. Cor. | 51 | 52 | 51 | 52 |
| Am. Su. Tob. pf. | 77 | 85 | 77 | 85 |
| Atlan. Steel | 125 | 140 | 125 | 140 |
| Brit.-Am. Tob. Co., ord | 18 | 19 | 18 | 19 |
| Brit.-Am. T., Ord. B | 18⅝ | 19 | 18⅝ | 19 |
| Butler Chem. | ½ | ¾ | ½ | ¾ |
| Butt.-Judson | 40 | 55 | 40 | 55 |
| Car. L. & P. | 2¾ | 3¼ | 2¾ | 3¼ |
| Cal. Packing | 38 | 38½ | 38 | 38½ |
| Central Fy. | 16 | 20 | 16 | 20 |
| Fall Motors | 7 | 9 | 7 | 9 |
| Fisk Ru. cv. pf. | .. | 105 | .. | 105 |
| Emerson Ph. | 9¼ | 9⅝ | 9¼ | 9⅝ |
| Grant Mc. Car. | 7 | 9 | 7 | 9 |
| Holly Sugar | 41 | 43 | 41 | 43 |
| Do pf. | 98 | 99¼ | 98 | 99¼ |
| Int. A. & Fuse | 22 | 25 | 22 | 25 |
| Inter. C. R. | 11 | 12 | 11 | 12 |
| Kath. Brze. pf. | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| K. T. & R. pf. | 13 | 15 | 13 | 15 |
| S. S. Kresge | 12½ | 13½ | 12½ | 13½ |
| Leh. V. C. S. | 96 | 100 | 96 | 100 |
| Man. E. S. pf. | 97 | 99 | 97 | 99 |
| Mex. Pet. Ex. | 20 | 21 | 20 | 21 |
| Mitchell Mot. | 49 | 51 | 49 | 51 |
| Nat. Acme | 34 | 36 | 34 | 36 |
| Nat. Auto | 20 | 30 | 20 | 30 |
| N. Y. Ship | 39 | 43 | 39 | 43 |
| N. Y. Transp. | 14½ | 15 | 15 | 15½ |
| Peer. T. & M. | 15 | 18 | 14 | 19 |
| Rep. M. T. | 70 | 71 | 68 | 70 |
| Seab. S. & M. | .. | 26 | .. | 26 |
| Smith Mot. Tr. | 6 | 7 | 6 | 7 |
| Springf. Body | 70 | 80 | 70 | 80 |
| Do pf. | 110 | 117 | 110 | 117 |
| St. Jo. Lead | 18½ | 18⅝ | 18 | 18½ |
| Stand. Motors | 7 | 8 | 8 | 8½ |
| Superior Steel | 31 | 32½ | 31 | 32½ |
| U. S. L. & H. | 1¾ | 2 | 1¾ | 2 |

#### INDUSTRIALS.—Continued.

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Todd Shipyds. | 80 | 85 | 80 | 85 |
| U. Prof. Shar. | ⅝ | 11-16 | ⅝ | 11-16 |
| Unit. Sug., w. i. | 35⅝ | 35¾ | 35⅝ | 35¾ |
| World F. Cp. | ¾ | ⅞ | ¾ | ⅞ |
| W. M. A. pf. | 48 | 50 | 48 | 50 |
| RAILROADS. | | | | |
| R. I. pf., (A) | 83½ | 85 | 84 | 85 |
| Do. pf., (B) | 69 | 71 | 69 | 71 |
| Western Pac. | 19 | 21 | 19 | 21 |
| West. Pac. pf | 49 | 51 | 49 | 51 |
| OIL STOCKS. | | | | |
| Am. Ventura | 20 | 25 | 20 | 25 |
| Houston Oil | 17 | 19 | 17 | 19 |
| Mon. Oil | ⅝ | 11-16 | ⅝ | 11-16 |
| N. Y. & Okla. O. | ⅝ | 11-16 | ⅝ | 11-16 |
| N. Y. & T. O. | 2⅝ | 2⅞ | 2⅝ | 2⅞ |
| Ohio Fuel Oil | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 |
| Okla. Oil pf. | ¾ | 1 | ¾ | 1 |
| Penn. G'line | ⅝ | ⅞ | ⅝ | ⅞ |
| Pierce Oil | 13½ | 14 | 13½ | 13⅝ |
| So. Oil & Tr. | 3½ | 4½ | 3½ | 4½ |
| Tuxpam Oil | 60 | 65 | 60 | 65 |
| Tidewater Oil | 205 | 210 | 205 | 210 |
| Utah Pet. | 29 | 31 | 29 | 31 |
| Vac. G. & O. | ⅝ | 11-16 | ⅝ | 11-16 |
| Way. O. & G. | 4 | 4⅜ | 4 | 4⅜ |
| BOND. | | | | |
| Pierce Oil 6s | 80 | 85 | 80 | 85 |
| MINING STOCKS. | | | | |
| Am. Com'an'r | 6½ | 8 | 6 | 8 |
| Atlanta | 13 | 14 | 13 | 14 |
| Booth | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 |
| Butte-N. Y. | 2½ | 2⅝ | 2½ | 2⅝ |
| BradshawCop. | 1½ | 1⅝ | 1½ | 1⅝ |
| Calaveras Cp. | 4½ | 5 | 4 | 4½ |
| Calzova | ⅝ | ⅞ | ⅝ | ⅞ |
| Con. Cop. M. | 8⅝ | 8⅞ | 8⅝ | 8⅞ |
| Jerome Victor | 1⅝ | 2 | 1⅝ | 2 |
| Jumbo Ext. | 28 | 29 | 28 | 29 |
| Kewanus | 19 | 21 | 19 | 20 |
| McKinley-D | 50 | 55 | .. | .. |
| Section Thirty | 11⅞ | 12¼ | 11⅞ | 12¼ |
| Seneca Cop. | 13 | 13¼ | 13 | 13¼ |

## NEW YORK CITY BONDS

| | | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4s | Sept., 1917 | 100⅝ | 101¼ | 100⅝ |
| 4½s | June, 1965 | 107½ | 107¾ | 107½ |
| 4½s | Mar., 1963 | 107½ | 108⅛ | 107½ |
| 4½s | Nov., 1957 | 107⅝ | 108 | 107⅝ |
| 4½s | May, 1957 | 107⅝ | 108 | 107⅝ |
| 4½s | Apr., 1966 | 102⅝ | 102⅞ | 102⅝ |
| 4½s | Mar., 1964 | 102⅝ | 102⅞ | 102⅝ |
| 4½s | Mar., 1962 | 102½ | 102⅞ | 102½ |
| 4½s | Sept., 1960 | 102½ | 102⅞ | 102½ |
| 4s | May, 1960-80 | 101½ | 101⅞ | 101½ |
| 4s | May, 1959 | 100¼ | 100⅞ | 100¼ |
| 4s | May, 1957 | 100¼ | 100⅞ | 100¼ |
| 4s | Nov., 1958 | 100¼ | 100⅞ | 100¼ |
| 4s | Nov., 1955 | 99⅝ | 100¼ | 99¼ |
| 4s | Nov., 1956 | 99⅝ | 100¼ | 99¼ |
| 4s | Nov., 1936 | 99 | 100 | 99 |

| | | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3½s | Nov., 1955 | .. | 90¼ | .. |
| 3½s | May, 1954 | 89¼ | 90¼ | 89¼ |
| 3½s | Nov., 1954 | 89¼ | 90¼ | 89¼ |

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

| | | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4½s | 1924-1930 | 4.25 | 3.85 | 4.25 |
| 4½s | 1918-1923 | 4.25 | .. | 4.25 |
| 4½s | 1924-1931 | 4.25 | 3.85 | 4.25 |
| 4½s | 1921-1923 | 4.25 | .. | 4.25 |
| 4½s | Apr., 1920 | 4.10 | .. | 4.10 |
| 4½s | 1917-1919 | 4.10 | .. | 4.10 |
| 3½s | 1940-1953 | 4.20 | 4.05 | 4.20 |
| 3½s | 1930-1939 | 4.15 | 4.00 | 4.15 |
| 3½s | 1922-1929 | 4.15 | 4.00 | 4.15 |
| 3s | 1940-1953 | 4.15 | 4.00 | 4.15 |
| 3s | 1926-1930 | 4.15 | 4.00 | 4.15 |

## STANDARD OIL STOCKS

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anglo-Am. Oil | 16⅝ | 17¼ | 16⅝ |
| Atlantic Refining | 1060 | 1070 | 1060 |
| Borne-Scrymser | 460 | 480 | 460 |
| Buckeye Pipe Line | 102 | 105 | 102 |
| Chesebrough Mfg. | 420 | 440 | 420 |
| Colonial Oil | 50 | 70 | 50 |
| Continental Oil | 595 | 610 | 595 |
| Crescent Pipe Line | 37 | 42 | 37 |
| Cumberland Pipe L. | 135 | 140 | 135 |
| Eureka Pipe Line | 215 | 225 | 215 |
| Galena Signal Oil | 163 | 168 | 163 |
| Galena Sig. O. pf. | 138 | 142 | 138 |
| Illinois Pipe Line | 235 | 240 | 235 |
| Indiana Pipe Line | 103 | 107 | 103 |
| Int. Pet. Co., Ltd. | 11¾ | 12¼ | 12 |
| National Transit | 18 | 19 | 18 |
| N. Y. Transit | 212 | 217 | 212 |
| Northern Pipe L. | 100 | 105 | 100 |
| Ohio Oil | 387 | 390 | 388 |

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Ask. | Monday. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Penn.-Mex. F. Co. | 52 | 56 | 52 |
| Prairie Oil & Gas | 600 | 605 | 603 |
| Prairie Pipe Line | 327 | 332 | 332 |
| Solar Refining | 395 | 405 | 395 |
| Southern Pipe Line | 202 | 207 | 202 |
| South. Penn. Oil | 320 | 325 | 325 |
| Southwest. Penn. | 113 | 118 | 115 |
| Stand. Oil of Cal. | 297 | 300 | 298 |
| Stand. Oil of Ind. | 865 | 875 | 865 |
| Stand. Oil of Kan. | 550 | 570 | 550 |
| Stand. Oil of Ky. | 720 | 730 | 725 |
| Stand. Oil of Neb. | 595 | 610 | 595 |
| Stand. Oil of N. J. | 690 | 695 | 688 |
| Stand. Oil of N. Y. | 305 | 308 | 305 |
| Stand. Oil of Ohio | 475 | 485 | 470 |
| Swan & Finch | 100 | 110 | 100 |
| Union Tank | 93 | 97 | 93 |
| Vacuum Oil | 410 | 420 | 415 |
| Washington Oil | 30 | 40 | 30 |

## EXPECT ALCOHOL DIVIDEND.

### Payment May Follow Changes in Board of Directors.

Changes made yesterday at the annual meeting of the United States Industrial Alcohol Company in the composition of the Board of Directors are expected to be followed shortly by a declaration of the long-expected initial dividend.

At yesterday's meeting Frederick S. Flower, Crawford Livingston, Julius Kessler, and James P. McGovern resigned. They were succeeded by Edward W. Harden of James B. Colgate & Co., a brother-in-law of Frank A. Vanderlip, President of the National City Bank; E. W. McKenna, an engineering expert of national reputation; W. S. Kies, Vice President of the National City Bank and of the American International Corporation, and R. P. Tinsley, Secretary and Treasurer of the same corporation. Wall Street has understood that the old Board of Directors differed on matters of financing when it was proposed last year to put the company on a dividend basis.

An officer of the Industrial Alcohol Company said after yesterday's meeting that the two officers of the American International had been invited to join the board in view of the increasing importance of the export business, and because of the foreign trade facilities of the American International Corporation. The Rockefeller interests are in control of the Industrial Alcohol, having purchased 60,000 shares of the 120,000 outstanding from the Distilling Company of America in June, 1915. The American International has no money invested in the company.

It is understood that through the cooperation of the American International Corporation it is hoped to open new fields for the sale of denatured alcohol abroad, which will offset, in part at least, the falling off in the demand which is expected with the end of the war. The prosperity of the alcohol business in recent years has resulted from the great demand from powder companies.

Adirondack El. Power Com. & Pfd.
American Light & Traction Pfd.
American Power & Light Pfd.
Carolina Power & Light Com.
Central States Elec. Com.
Colorado Power Com.
Mississippi River Power Com. & Pfd.
Northern Ontario Lt. & Pr. Pfd.
Northern States Power Com. & Pfd.
Standard Gas & Elec. Com. & Pfd.

American & British Com.
Carbon Steel Com. & 1st Pfd.
Childs Company Common
Fisk Rubber Com. & 2nd Pfd.
Remington Typewriter Com.

Kiely & Horton
30 Broad St., N. Y. Phone Broad 6911

Southern Oil & Chemical
Bought—Sold—Quoted
Hoit & McWilliam
71 Broadway, N. Y. 'Phone 3109 Rector

Air Reduction Com.
Int'l Agricul. 5s, 1932
Northwest. Pw. Com. & Pfd.
Texas & Pacific Coal
Tol., Peo. & West. 4s, 1917
Southwest. Pw. & Lt. 5s, '43
St. Maurice Paper 6s, 1946
Hanson & Doyle
30 BROAD ST. Phone 4684 Broad.

Con. Indiana Coal 5s, 1935
Remington Typewriter Co.
Sinclair Central Am. Oil Co.
Standard Milling 6s, 1926
Penn. Coal & Coke Co.
Lamarche & Coady
Phone 9970 Rector 14 Wall St.

Finance and Trading Corporation
Examinations, Liquidations and Reorganizations
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PRATT & CADY COMPANY, INCORPORATED.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

March 6th, 1917.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PRATT & CADY COMPANY, INCORPORATED:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Pratt & Cady Company, Inc., will be held on the 15th day of March, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at the office of Merrill, Rogers & Terry, Esqs., at No. 100 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, for the purpose of voting upon the proposed reduction of the authorized capital stock of the Company from the present amount thereof, to wit, six hundred thousand ($600,000) dollars, consisting of six thousand (6,000) shares of stock of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each, of which three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars, consisting of three thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars is preferred stock, and three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars, consisting of three thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each is common stock, to three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars, to consist of three thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each, all of which shall be common or general stock; and to provide for the amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation and the By-Laws of this Company accordingly, so that the Certificate of Incorporation as amended and said By-Laws shall provide that the authorized capital stock of this Company shall be three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars, consisting of three thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each.

Notice is hereby further given that this meeting will be held for the purpose of voting on a proposition to increase the authorized capital stock of said Company from three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars, consisting of three thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each, all of which is common or general stock, to one million ($1,000,000) dollars, by increasing the common stock from three thousand (3,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each to ten thousand (10,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each, all of which shall be common or general stock; and to provide for the amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation and the By-Laws of this Company accordingly, so that said Certificate of Incorporation as amended and said By-Laws shall provide that the authorized capital stock of this Company shall be one million ($1,000,000) dollars, consisting of ten thousand (10,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each.

WALTER B. LASHAR, President.
E. L. KING, Secretary.

**Lalance & Grosjean Manufacturing Company**

Pursuant to Article 6 of the Mortgage made by the above-named Company to the Brooklyn Trust Company, as Trustee, the undersigned offers to purchase for the Sinking Fund the 6 per cent. bonds of the said Company, due May 1, 1927, at a price not exceeding 105 and accrued interest to May 1st, 1917, sufficient to exhaust the sum of $17,520.01.

Offers will be received at its office, 177 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, until the close of business on March 31, 1917.

Brooklyn Trust Company, as Trustee.
E. P. Maynard, President.
Brooklyn, New York.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the SHULTS BREAD COMPANY will be held at the General Office of the Company, 26 Beaver Street, New York, N. Y., on Wednesday, March 28, 1917, at 11 A. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

H. M. TAYLOR, Secretary.

Wanted
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SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY.
NOTICE OF MEETING.
165 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company will be held at the office of this Company in Anchorage, Jefferson County, Kentucky, on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, at twelve o'clock noon, standard time, for the following purposes, viz.:

1. To elect fifteen Directors.
2. To transact all such other business as may legally come before the meeting, including the approval and ratification of all action of the Board of Directors and of the Executive Committee since the last annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company.

For the purposes of the meeting, the books for the transfer of stock will be closed at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, March 17, 1917, and will be reopened at 10 o'clock A. M., Thursday, April 5, 1917.

By order of the Board of Directors.
HUGH NEILL, Secretary.
Dated, January 2, 1917.

The Aetna Explosives Co., Inc.
120 Broadway, New York City, N. Y.

To the Stockholders:

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Aetna Explosives Company, Inc., will be held at the office of the company, Room No. 3,220, No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1917, at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and three (3) inspectors of election, to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

Transfer books of the company will be closed on March 13th, 1917, at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopened March 21st, 1917.

New York, March 7th, 1917.
CHAS. W. GRAHAM, Secretary.

E. I. duPONT deNEMOURS POWDER COMPANY.
Wilmington, Delaware.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the E. I. duPont deNemours Powder Company will be held on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1917, at twelve o'clock noon, at the principal office of the Company, No. 51 Newark Street, Hoboken, New Jersey, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ALEXIS I. duPONT, Secretary.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY.
NOTICE.
Parsons, Kansas, March 1, 1917.

The regular annual meeting of stockholders of the above-named Company for the election of Directors, in conformity with Chapter 197, Laws of Kansas, 1895, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, including the ratification of such action at any time taken or authorized by the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, or the executive officers of the Company as may be submitted to the meeting, will be held at the General Office of the Company in the City of Parsons, Kansas, on Thursday, the 5th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Stock transfer books will be closed from 3 P. M. March 6, 1917, until 10 A. M. April 6, 1917.

C. E. SCHAFF, President.
E. F. BROOMHALL, Secretary.

**Utah Petroleum Company.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Utah Petroleum Company will be held on Monday, the second day of April, 1917, at 11 o'clock at the principal office of the Company, No. 71 Wall Street, New York City, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware, no stock can be voted on at any election which has been transferred on the books of the Company within twenty days next preceding such election.

HOLT SECOR, Secretary.

Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders
German American Filter Company of New York.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the German American Filter Company of New York will be held at the office of the Company, No. 17 Battery Place, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 28th day of March, 1917, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing three Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

J. W. W. MITCHELL, Secretary.
Dated, New York, March 12th, 1917.

OFFICE OF
The North River Insurance Company.
New York, March 12, 1917.

The Annual Election of Directors of the Company and for Inspectors of Election will be held at the office, No. 95 William Street, on Monday, 26th day of March inst. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon until 1 o'clock P. M.

The Transfer Book will be closed from the 21st inst. until after the election. By order
DAVID G. WAKEMAN, Secretary.

NOTICE.

Stockholders of ARONSON BROTHERS, a domestic corporation, are hereby notified that a meeting of the stockholders of ARONSON BROTHERS, a domestic corporation, will be held on the 2nd day of April, 1917, at the office of ARONSON BROTHERS, No. 6 East 32nd Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition that ARONSON BROTHERS, a domestic corporation, be forthwith dissolved.

By order of the Board of Directors.
Dated New York, 28th day of February, 1917. MOSES SEIGLE, Secretary.

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$10,000,000.00 for the Improvement of the Erie, Champlain and Oswego canals, dated January 1, 1917, due January 1, 1967; $10,000,000.00 for the Improvement of Highways, dated March 1, 1917, due March 1, 1967; $2,500,000.00 for the Extension of the Palisades Interstate Park, dated March 1, 1917, due March 1, 1967; $2,500,000.00 for the State Forest Preserve Park, dated March 1, 1917, due March 1, 1967.

*As the bonds enumerated above are all 50-year bonds, bearing 4 per cent interest, the Comptroller will reserve the right to allot to the successful bidder bonds of any or all of the above issues, notwithstanding the specific issue may be stated in the bid.*

Temporary receipts will be issued which will be exchanged for the permanent bonds when ready for delivery, at the Bank of the Manhattan Company, New York City.

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No bids will be accepted for less than the par value of the bonds nor unless accompanied by a deposit of money or by a certified check or bank draft upon a solvent bank or trust company of the cities of Albany or New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of the State of New York, for at least two per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for.

All proposals, together with the security deposits, must be sealed and endorsed "Loan for Improvement" and enclosed in a sealed envelope directed to the "Comptroller of the State of New York, Albany."

All bids will include accrued interest.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any or all bids which are not in his opinion advantageous to the interests of the State.

Circular descriptive of these bonds and of outstanding state bonds, sinking funds, etc., will be mailed upon application to

**EUGENE M. TRAVIS, State Comptroller, Albany, N. Y.**

Albany, March 13, 1917.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT of Columbia, March 10, 1917.—Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Commissioners, Room 509, District Building, until 2 o'clock P. M., March 26, 1917, for installing steam heating systems in the Johnson School, at Lamont and Hiatt Streets, North West. Also at No. 6 Precinct Police Station, on New Jersey Avenue, between D and E Streets, North West, and at Engine Houses Nos. 6, 7 and 26, located respectively on Massachusetts Avenue, between 4th and 5th Streets, North West; on R Street, between 9th and 10th Streets, North West, and at Langdon, D. C. Blank forms of proposal, specifications, plans and all necessary information may be obtained from the Chief Clerk, Engineer Department, Room 427, District Building, Washington, D. C. A deposit of five dollars will be required from bidders to insure the return of plans and specifications.—Oliver P. Newman, Louis Brownlow, C. W. Kutz, Commissioners, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT of Columbia, March 1, 1917.—Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Commissioners, Room 509, District Building, until 2 o'clock P. M., March 30, 1917, for constructing a Fish Market and appurtenant buildings on Water Street, between 11th and 12th Streets, Southwest, Washington, D. C. Blank forms of proposal, plans, and specifications may be obtained from the Chief Clerk, Engineer Department, Room 427, District Building, Washington, D. C. A deposit of five dollars is required until the return of specifications and plans. Oliver P. Newman, Louis Brownlow, C. W. Kutz, Commissioners, D. C.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, March 2, 1917.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Purchasing Agent of this Department until 2 o'clock P. M., April 10, 1917, for furnishing routing tables and stools as they may be ordered for use of the postal service from time to time during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1917, and ending June 30, 1918. Blanks for proposals, with specifications and instructions to bidders, will be furnished upon application to the Purchasing Agent. J. C. KOONS, Acting Postmaster General.

THE COLORADO FUEL AND IRON CO. invites proposals in writing, to be sent to the Metropolitan Trust Co., City of New York, on or before April 5, 1917, for the sale to it of forty (40) outstanding 6% bonds of The Colorado Fuel Co., due 1919. Such bonds to be delivered and paid for May 1, 1917, at the Metropolitan Trust Co., 49 Wall St., New York City.
Denver, Colo., Feb. 23, 1917.
J. A. WRITER, Treasurer.

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# INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY

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**New York**

**To the Holders of the Following Described Bonds:**

**Hudson River Pulp and Paper Company Six Per Cent. Bonds, due January 1, 1918,**

**International Paper Company First Consolidated Six Per Cent. Mortgage Gold Bonds, due February 1, 1918,**

**International Paper Company Mortgage Six Per Cent. Gold Bonds (Rumford Falls Sulphite), due July 1, 1918,**

**International Paper Company Consolidated Mortgage Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds, due January 1, 1935.**

For the purpose of carrying out the policy of the Company, to consolidate its indebtedness under one mortgage and to provide a means of financing its future capital requirements, your Directors have recommended and authorized the officers of the Company, subject to authorization of and consent to the new mortgage by stockholders, to extend to the holders of its Consolidated Mortgage Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund gold bonds due 1935, and to the holders of the foregoing Six Per Cent. bonds of the International Paper Company and subsidiary companies, the privilege of exchanging their present bonds for the new First and Refunding Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Mortgage Gold bonds due January 1, 1947, upon the following terms and conditions:

(*a*) Hudson River Pulp and Paper Company 6s, due January 1, 1918; International Paper Company First Consolidated 6s, due February 1, 1918, and International Paper Company Rumford Falls 6s, due July 1, 1918, to have the privilege of exchanging their bonds par for par for the new Five Per Cent. bonds and of receiving upon such exchange a cash commission of One and one-half (1½) Per Cent. of the par amount of bonds which may be accepted for exchange and the adjustment of the difference between the amount of interest receivable upon the present bond to maturity and that to be earned by the new bond.

(*b*) Holders of the Consolidated Mortgage 5% bonds due 1935 to have the privilege of exchanging their bonds par for par with a cash commission of One and one-half (1½) Per Cent. on par amount of bonds which may be accepted for exchange without adjustment of interest as interest date and rate will be identical.

(*c*) As the outstanding 6% bonds and Consolidated 5% bonds to the holders of which this offer is being made amount in the aggregate to a total of approximately $15,000,000, and the Company proposes to pay at maturity a substantial amount of said 6 per cent. bonds in cash, the Company in the event of the receipt of offers of exchange for more than $7,500,000 of the new bonds, reserves the right to pro-rate the said amount of new bonds among the bondholders so offering to exchange. The holders of the Consolidated Five Per Cent. Bonds, at their option will be entitled on the date fixed for exchange, to receive for any such bonds so tendered, but not accepted, payment in cash at par and accrued interest. The holders of any of the said Six Per Cent. Bonds, at their option will be entitled on the date fixed for exchange, to receive for any of such Six Per Cent. Bonds so tendered, but not accepted in exchange, payment in cash at par and accrued interest, together with a premium at the rate of 1% per annum from the time of payment to the date of maturity of such bonds.

The holders of bonds to an amount in excess of $7,500,000 have already notified the Company of the acceptance of its offer, thus assuring the success of the bond refunding plan.

In order to allow bondholders, who have not yet tendered their bonds, to participate in the above offer, the Company has extended the time in which it will receive tenders to and including March 23, 1917. Forms for making tenders may be obtained at the office of the Company.

Dated, New York, March 13, 1917.

PHILIP T. DODGE, *President.*

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# AETNA EXPLOSIVES COMPANY, INC.

## PREFERRED AND COMMON STOCK

While, as previously stated, sufficient stock has already been deposited to assure control of the Corporation to the Committee, a large number of stockholders who were unable to deposit their stock by March 8th have requested the Committee to further extend the time for depositing stock and in pursuance therewith:

Notice is hereby given that the time for holders of preferred and common stock of AETNA EXPLOSIVES COMPANY, INC., desiring to participate in the benefits of the stockholders' protective agreement, dated February 15, 1917, to become parties thereto, is extended by the Stockholders' Protective Committee from the 8th day of March, 1917, up to and including the 20TH DAY OF MARCH, 1917.

Holders of preferred and common stock of said Company desiring to become parties to said agreement must deposit their stock, duly endorsed in blank for transfer, with necessary transfer stamps attached, with either Guaranty Trust Company of New York, No. 140 Broadway, New York City, or The Merchants National Bank of Boston, No. 28 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts, the depositaries named in said agreement, and there will be issued by the depositaries receiving the same certificates of deposit therefor. Stockholders depositing stock by mail should enclose sufficient postage stamps to cover expense of returning certificates of deposit by registered mail.

The Deposit Agreement provides that upon temination thereof by the Committee, or upon withdrawal by any Depositor under the provisions thereof, there will be no charge by the Committee for services against the Depositors, and each Depositor's proportion of the expenses and disbursements of the Committee, shall not exceed fifteen cents for each share of stock, preferred or common, deposited by him.

Copies of the Deposit Agreement may be obtained at the offices of the Depositaries thereunder, namely, Guaranty Trust Company of New York, No. 140 Broadway, New York City, and The Merchants National Bank of Boston, No. 28 State Street, Boston, Mass., or from the Secretary to the Committee.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1917.

William A. Bradford,
Chairman.
Bayard Dominick,
Charles S. Sargent, Jr.,
Eugene V. R. Thayer,
Frederick K. Rupprecht,
Grayson M.-P. Murphy,
Stephen J. Leonard,
Committee.

T. C. GILLESPIE,
Secretary
No. 14 Wall Street (Room 2001)
New York City.

CHADBOURNE & SHORES
Counsel

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# THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY

*To the Stockholders:*

A plan has been prepared and approved by the Board of Directors for the readjustment of the capital stock and indebtedness of the Company which provides among other things that The Pennsylvania Railroad Company shall receive for indebtedness of the Long Island new twenty-year 5% Debenture Bonds of the Long Island (to be secured by any future mortgage on the franchises and property of the Company) to the amount of $5,202,100 and shall in turn exchange such bonds par for par for shares of the present outstanding stock of the Long Island held by owners other than the Pennsylvania, provided owners of such stock to an amount satisfactory to the Pennsylvania shall assent to the plan and agree to exchange their stock for the Bonds.

A circular letter outlining in detail the plan and approving it has has been written by a committee consisting of Messrs. Herbert C. Lakin, Charles M. Pratt, August Belmont, Walter G. Oakman and Ralph Peters, ex officio, and has been mailed to stockholders of record. An agreement between The Pennsylvania Railroad Company and The Long Island Railroad Company and such shareholders of the Long Island as may become parties by depositing their shares with the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, depositary, has been executed and filed with the depositary. Copies of the circular letter and agreement may be procured from the depositary or from FRANK E. HAFF, Secretary of The Long Island Railroad Company, Room 329, Pennsylvania Station, New York City.

Attention is called to the fact that stock of assenting shareholders must be deposited with the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, 55 Cedar Street, New York City, under the agreement, on or before March 23rd, 1917.

Dated, February 24th, 1917. RALPH PETERS, *President.*

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## STANDARD GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

**Trustee's Purchase**
**Convertible Six Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds**

Pursuant to the provisions of the Collateral Trust Agreement executed December 1, 1911, by the Standard Gas and Electric Company to the undersigned as Trustee, to secure an authorized issue of $30,000,000 Convertible Six Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds, dated December 1, 1911, and maturing December 1, 1926, the undersigned hereby gives notice that it now has on hand the sum of $1,025,500, being the proceeds arising from the sale of the following securities formerly held by the undersigned as part of the collateral under said Collateral Trust Agreement; $1,465,000 par value of Northern Idaho and Montana Power Company, First Mortgage 6% Gold Bonds, $25,000 par value of the preferred Stock of said Company, and $1,000,000 par value of the Common Stock of said Company. It is the intention of the undersigned to apply said sum of $1,025,500 under the provisions of said Trust Agreement to the purchase of outstanding Standard Gas and Electric Company Convertible Six Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds. Offers of said bonds are invited at a price not to exceed 105 and accrued interest. Sealed tenders should be addressed to the Philadelphia Trust Company, Trustee of the Standard Gas and Electric Company, 415 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, designating the denomination of bonds tendered, and will be received until 3 P. M. April 12, 1917.

PHILADELPHIA TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee.
By HENRY G. BRENGLE, Treasurer.
Philadelphia, March 14, 1917.

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**Lalance & Grosjean Manufacturing Company**

Pursuant to Article 6 of the Mortgage made by the above-named Company to the Brooklyn Trust Company, as Trustee, the undersigned offers to purchase for the Sinking Fund the 6 per cent. bonds of the said Company, due May 1, 1927, at a price not exceeding 105 and accrued interest to May 1st, 1917, sufficient to exhaust the sum of $17,520.01.

Offers will be received at its office, 177 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, until the close of business on April 1, 1917.

Brooklyn Trust Company, as Trustee.
E. P. Maynard, President.
Brooklyn, New York.

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**NOTICE.**

The Third National Bank, located at Buffalo, in the State of New York, is closing its affairs.

All note holders and other creditors of the Association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

GEORGE A. DRUMMER, Cashier.
Dated Jan'y 16th, 1917.

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**DISSOLUTION NOTICES.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DAVIS OLITZKY has withdrawn from the copartnership of OLITZKY, RATNER & CO. and that LOUIS OLITZKY and SIMON RATNER will continue the business under the same name.

OLITZKY, RATNER & CO.

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# PITTSBURGH COAL CO. EARNINGS $5,592,799

## Gain of $1,372,962 Over the Previous Year in Spite of Lower Production.

## OUTPUT OF 18,709,926 TONS

### Shortage of Labor, Inadequate Transportation, and Increased Demands Factors in Situation.

The Pittsburg Coal Company had net earnings of $5,592,799 last year, a gain of $1,372,962 over the total for 1915. After setting aside a reserve for depreciation and ore land depletion amounting to $2,064,219, against $1,973,827 the year before, and paying bond interest, there remained $3,143,926 for dividends. This was equivalent to 9.82 per cent. on the preferred stock, compared with slightly more than 6 per cent. reported for 1915.

The company produced 18,709,926 tons of coal, a decline of 424,510 tons for the year. In the Pittsburgh district shortage of labor and inadequate transportation caused a decline of 1,502,389 tons, a decrease which was partly offset by gains in other fields.

M. H. Taylor, Chairman of the company, informed stockholders in the annual statement yesterday that insufficient labor was a factor which prevented the sale of much coal toward the end of the year at unusually high prices.

"There is no lack of coal in place," he said, "it is a question of production and distribution. The effort of the railways to keep the iron, steel, and coke industries running practically twenty-four hours a day, or more than double their average running time in previous years, demanded like excess in car supply, which reacted heavily against operation, production, and cost at the mines. The widely increased demand for all uses for the year was not only in excess of current supply, but at the close of the year the stocks were practically exhausted in all the territory in which our company makes shipment. So long as these conditions continue, demand and prices will be strong and high."

## FINANCIAL NOTES.

According to Albany dispatches the Copper Queen Consolidated Mining Company has certified to an increase of capital stock from $2,000,000 to $50,000,000. All the stock of the Copper Queen is owned by Phelps, Dodge & Co.

At the annual meeting of the United States Industrial Alcohol the following new Directors were elected: Edward W. Harden, E. W. McKenna, W. S. Kies, and R. P. Tinsley, replacing Frederick S. Flower, Julius Kessler, James B. McGovern, and Crawford Livingston. Other Directors were re-elected.

The Outstanding common stock of the three subsidiaries of the Tri-City Railway and Light Company, controlled by United Light and Railways Company, will be increased to cover recent expenditures made on their properties. The Tri-City Railway Company of Illinois will issue $300,000, making its outstanding capital stock $3,800,000; the People's Power Company will issue $275,000, making its capital stock $3,275,000; the Moline, Rock Island and Eastern Traction Company will issue $20,000, making its capital stock $195,000. All the new stocks will be taken by the controlling companies to reimburse their treasuries for advances made for capital expenditures by the subsidiaries.

R. W. Pressprich & Co. were awarded $1,000,000 City of Cleveland, Ohio, 4½s, maturing one to twenty years.

At the annual meeting of the United Drug Company the following new Directors were elected: W. M. Sederman and George W. Bence for the term ending March, 1920; E. L. Scholtz and C. F. Buccholtz for the term ending March, 1919; Adolph Speigel and Stephen Hexter for the term ending March, 1918.

The Torrington Company has declared a dividend of 8 per cent. and an extra of 1 per cent. on the common stock.

The Rutland Railroad Company has declared a dividend of 2 per cent. on the preferred stock, the first dividend this road has paid since [illegible].

The annual meeting of Pittsburgh Coal Company of New Jersey was adjourned to meet April 4 at 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City, when, it is said, the adjustment plan will be approved.

The Directors of Continental Refining Company of Oklahoma have voted to increase the dividend on the common stock from 6 per cent. to 8 per cent. annually. The dividend is payable on the tenth day of each month to stockholders of record on the first. This puts the common stock on the same dividend basis as the preferred.

The First National Bank and the First Security Company have each declared a quarterly dividend of 5 per cent. The previous quarterly disbursement on the stock of the bank was 7 per cent. and on the stock of the First Security Company 3 per cent.

The City of New Bedford, Mass., has sold a temporary loan of $500,000, issued in anticipation of revenue to the Old Colony Trust Company at 3.86 per cent. discount.

The New York Stock Exchange has admitted to list: Calumet and Arizona Mining Company capital stock authorized to be listed by the Governing Committee some time ago.

The City of Medford, Mass., has sold a temporary loan of $100,000 issued in anticipation of revenue to Jackson & Curtis, at 3.80 per cent. discount, plus $1 premium.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has increased its annual dividend rate from 5 to 6 per cent.

The stockholders of Burns Brothers at a special meeting held yesterday authorized an increase in the common stock from $7,500,000 to $12,000,000. This is part of the plan for 25 per cent. stock dividend to common stockholders.

The Maverick Mills have declared a regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 a share on the preferred stock and $4.50 a share on account of accumulated dividends. This will leave unpaid back dividends on the preferred of $15 a share.

Louis E. Waring of Chandler Brothers & Co. has been elected President of the Cuban Oil Company, succeeding the late Dr. C. Hayes.

Middlesex County, Mass., has sold a temporary loan of $200,000 issue in anticipation of taxes to Estabrook & Co. at 3.78 per cent. discount, plus $6 premium.

The E. W. Bliss Company has declared an extra dividend of 11¼ per cent. and the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent. on the common stock.

Kissel, Kinnicutt & Co., White, Weld & Co., and Montgomery, Clothier & Tyler, syndicate managers, announce that all the $7,000,000 Sinclair Gulf Corporation first lien 6 per cent. bonds, recently purchased, have been sold.

Stockholders of the Kelly Springfield Tire Company at their annual meeting held yesterday in Jersey City re-elected all the Directors and approved the recommendation of the board for the erection of a new factory at Cumberland, Md.

Director of Finance of the City of Cleveland, Ohio, awarded a miscellaneous issue of 4½ per cent. bonds to the following banking houses: Parson, Son & Co., $400,000 four-year average for a premium of $5,200; Harris, Forbes & Co., $600,000 four-year average for premium of $6,300, $100,000 twelve and a half year average for premium of $2,141, $700,000 five to twenty-four year serial for premium of $17,227, and $500,000 one to twenty-five year serial for premium of $11,055; R. W. Pressprich & Co. $1,000,000 one to twenty year serial for premium of $21,333; Spitzer, Rorick & Co., $500,000 one to fifty-year serial for premium of $19,451; Tillitson & Wolcott Company, $500,000 twenty-five and a quarter year average for premium of $17,700; $100,000 ten-year average to F. L. Fuller & Co. for premium of $2,272.

## DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

| Company. | Rate. | Period. | Payable. | Holders of Rec. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. Pub. Serv. pf.. | 1¾ | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 15 |
| Amoskeag Mfg..... | 75c | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 13 |
| Ansco Co.......... | 2½ | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 13 |
| Ariz. United Min... | 1 | Q. | Apr. 1 | Mar. 15 |
| Bliss (E. W.) Co... | 1¼ | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 23 |
| Bliss (E. W.) Co... | 11¼ | Ex. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 23 |
| Bliss (E.W.) Co. pf. | 1¼ | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 23 |
| First Nat. Bank.... | 5 | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 31 |
| First Security Co... | 5 | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 31 |
| Kanawha & Mich.. | 1¼ | Q. | Mar. 31 | Mar. 27 |
| Manhat. Shirt pf... | $1.75 | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 23 |
| Maverick Mills pf.. | $1.50 | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 20 |
| Maverick Mills pf.. | $4.50 | Ac. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 20 |
| Nipe Bay......... | $2 | Q. | Apr. 14 | Mar. 24 |
| Northwest. Yeast... | 3 | Q. | Mar. 15 | Mar. 12 |
| Northwest. Yeast... | 3 | Ex. | Mar. 15 | Mar. 12 |
| Peo. Nat. Gas & P. | 2 | Q. | Mar. 24 | Mar. 20 |
| Rutland pf........ | 2 | .. | Apr. 16 | Mar. 29 |
| Torrington Co...... | 3 | Ex. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 23 |
| Torrington Co...... | 1 | Ex. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 23 |
| United Fruit....... | $2 | Q. | Apr. 14 | Mar. 24 |
| Utah Pow. & L. pf. | 1¾ | Q. | Apr. 2 | Mar. 16 |
| West. Union Tel.... | 1¼ | Q. | Apr. 16 | Mar. 20 |
| Willys-Overland pf. | $1.75 | Q. | Apr. 1 | ........ |

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## BROADWAY TRUST COMPANY

at New York City, in the State of New York, at the close of business on March 5, 1917:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c) | $17,811,607.33 | |
| b Acceptances of other banks discounted | 429,994.65 | |
| c Acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted | 514,039.52 | |
| Total loans | | $18,755,641.50 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | | 357.31 |
| Customers' liability under letters of credit actually used and for which this bank has not been reimbursed | | 122,400.57 |
| Customers' liability account of "acceptances" executed by this bank | | 697,182.49 |
| U. S. bonds: U. S. bonds pledged as collateral for State or other deposits | | 2,000.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc.: Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits | $1,043,133.73 | |
| Bonds and securities pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (postal excluded) or bills payable | 414,978.11 | |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged | 2,542,848.49 | |
| Total bonds, securities, etc. | | 4,000,960.33 |
| Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock | | 274,618.89 |
| Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription) | | 67,500.00 |
| Value of banking house | | 107,850.00 |
| Vaults | | 30,000.00 |
| Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 20) | | 2,600,132.16 |
| Exchanges for Clearing House | | 894,360.44 |
| Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | | 92,415.81 |
| Outside checks and other cash items | $213,521.92 | |
| Fractional currency, nickels, and cents | 15,329.55 | |
| | | 228,851.47 |
| Notes of other national banks | | 63,325.00 |
| Federal Reserve notes | | 48,025.00 |
| 20. Lawful reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank | | 4,628,111.23 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | | 34,600.00 |
| Other assets: Accrued receivable | | 95,772.90 |
| Liability of banks and trust companies for acceptances bought and sold | | 674,856.02 |
| Total | | $33,338,061.12 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $1,500,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | 750,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | $401,335.48 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | 77,970.53 | |
| | | 323,364.95 |
| Amount reserved for taxes accrued | | 14,750.00 |
| Amount reserved for all interest accrued | | 72,495.00 |
| Net amount due to banks and bankers | | 2,618,788.80 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 390.50 |
| Demand deposits: Individual deposits subject to check | $23,021,609.81 | |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days | 536,179.87 | |
| Certified checks | 166,672.90 | |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 701,141.58 | |
| Postal savings deposits | 846,163.00 | |
| State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank | 18,442.97 | |
| Deposits requiring notice, but less than 30 days | 871,223.05 | |
| Time deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice): Certificates of deposit | 483,805.60 | |
| Total deposits | | 29,258,318.08 |
| Customers' letters of credit drawn against | | 122,400.57 |
| Acceptances executed for customers | | [illegible] |
| Liabilities other than those above stated: Reserved for expenses | | [illegible] |
| Contingent liability as indorser on acceptances of other banks and trust companies bought and sold | | 674,856.02 |
| Total | | $33,338,061.12 |

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, JOHN WILLIAMS, Treasurer of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1917.

[Seal.] HERMAN W. WILLIS, Notary Public, Kings County; Kings County Clerk's No. 116; Kings County Register's No. 7008. Certificate filed in N. Y. County, N. Y. County Clerk's No. 23; N. Y. Register's No. 7055. Term expires March 30th, 1917.

Correct—Attest:
JOHN J. PULLEYN,
F. A. M. BURRELL,
WARREN CRUIKSHANK,
Directors.

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**TEMPLE COAL COMPANY First and Collateral Trust Mortgage Sinking Fund Bonds.**

Notice is hereby given that on March 1, 1917, in pursuance of the terms of the above mortgage, dated July 1, 1914, Bonds Nos.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 355 | 581 | 790 | 1235 | 1564 | 1776 | 1974 |
| 64 | 363 | 618 | 847 | 1249 | 1598 | 1777 | 1987 |
| 120 | 370 | 634 | 895 | 1257 | 1606 | 1783 | 1994 |
| 134 | 390 | 637 | 901 | 1280 | 1615 | 1788 | 1998 |
| 135 | 397 | 647 | 910 | 1288 | 1616 | 1791 | 2000 |
| 137 | 399 | 648 | 923 | 1307 | 1620 | 1796 | 2022 |
| 197 | 405 | 658 | 986 | 1336 | 1638 | 1803 | 2058 |
| 219 | 432 | 662 | 1066 | 1363 | 1645 | 1822 | 2057 |
| 233 | 438 | 668 | 1068 | 1369 | 1658 | 1850 | 2090 |
| 237 | 478 | 671 | 1071 | 1430 | 1669 | 1875 | 2133 |
| 242 | 498 | 676 | 1128 | 1503 | 1679 | 1896 | 2192 |
| 262 | 502 | 684 | 1140 | 1517 | 1704 | 1914 | 2243 |
| 307 | 509 | 692 | 1175 | 1538 | 1717 | 1918 | 2247 |
| 328 | 511 | 690 | 1183 | 1541 | 1728 | 1929 | 2266 |
| 337 | 534 | 709 | 1195 | 1542 | 1731 | 1931 | 2279 |
| 350 | 535 | 714 | 1201 | 1553 | 1756 | 1957 | 2283 |

have been drawn for redemption out of moneys held in the Sinking Fund. The principal of said bonds will be paid on April 1, 1917, at the office of the Trustee, 517 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, at 101 and accrued interest, after which date interest on the bonds so drawn shall cease.

THE PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY FOR INSURANCES ON LIVES AND GRANTING ANNUITIES.

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**THE WABASH RAILROAD COMPANY**

**Twenty-Five Year Five Per Cent. First Lien Gold Equipment Sinking Fund Bonds of 1901, due March 1, 1921.**

The undersigned, as Trustee under the Equipment Agreement dated March 1, 1901, given to secure the bonds described above, hereby gives notice that it will receive sealed proposals up to 3 P. M. on March 26th for the sale to it for account of the Sinking Fund established by Article Tenth of the said Agreement, of bonds of the issue described above, sufficient substantially to exhaust $176,040, at a price not exceeding $1,050 per bond and accrued interest.

The Trustee reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY,
as successor to
Continental Trust Co. of the City of New York,
By H. W. MORSE, Secretary.
March 9th, 1917.

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## DUQUESNE LIGHT CO.

**DIVIDEND NO. 9.**

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 13, 1917.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of

**ONE AND THREE-FOURTHS PER CENT.**

(1¾%) on the 7% Cumulative Preferred Capital Stock, payable May 1, 1917, to stockholders of record April 1, 1917.

Cheques will be mailed.

C. J. BRAUN, JR., Treasurer.

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**Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company.**

March 1, 1917.

The Board of Directors has declared dividends of One and Three-quarters Per Cent. for quarter ending March 31, 1917, and Three-quarters Per Cent. on account accumulated dividends on the preferred stock of this Company, payable April 16, 1917, to preferred stockholders of record at the close of business March 31, 1917. Checks for such dividends will be mailed to the holders of voting trust certificates for preferred stock of record March 31, 1917. Transfer books will not be closed.

L. F. BOWER,
Secretary.

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**THE WILLYS-OVERLAND COMPANY.**

Toledo, Ohio, March 7th, 1917.

**PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND.**

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 7th day of March, 1917, a quarterly dividend of $1.75 per share was declared upon all outstanding Preferred stock of the Company, payable on the 1st day of April, 1917, to all Preferred stockholders of record at the close of business March 20th, 1917.

ROYAL R. SCOTT, Secretary.

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**AMERICAN CAN CO.**

A quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. has been declared upon the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable April 2d, 1917, to Stockholders of record at the close of business March 15th, 1917. Transfer Books will remain open. Checks mailed.

R. H. ISMON,
Secretary & Treasurer.

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[No. 9,360.]
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

## Union Exchange National Bank of New York,

at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business on March 5th, 1917:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | | $9,744,734.99 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | | 631.17 |
| Customers' liability under letters of credit actually used and for which this bank has not been reimbursed | | 70,000.00 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | | 400,000.00 |
| Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits | $459,342.89 | |
| Bonds and securities pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (postal excluded) or bills payable | 15,000.00 | |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged | 753,034.59 | |
| Total bonds, securities, &c. | | 1,227,377.48 |
| Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock | | 1,500.00 |
| Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription) | | 51,000.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | | 5,000.00 |
| Real estate owned other than banking house | | 56,654.04 |
| Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 20) | | 407,837.96 |
| Exchanges for Clearing House | | 922,412.38 |
| Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | | 100,516.34 |
| Outside checks and other cash items | $38,443.54 | |
| Fractional currency, nickels, and cents | 1,391.47 | |
| | | 39,835.01 |
| Notes of other national banks | | 15,000.00 |
| Federal Reserve notes | | 5,000.00 |
| 20. Lawful reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank | | 1,802,228.72 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | | 20,000.00 |
| **Total** | | **$14,869,728.09** |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $1,000,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | 700,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | $491,584.14 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | 53,785.01 | |
| | | 437,799.13 |
| Circulating notes outstanding | | 395,900.00 |
| Net amount due to banks and bankers | | 1,485,007.26 |
| Demand deposits: Individual deposits subject to check | | 10,223,937.66 |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days | | 51,021.91 |
| Certified checks | | 62,684.51 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | | 27,953.46 |
| Postal Savings Deposits | | 423,660.00 |
| State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank | | 1,269.06 |
| Total demand deposits, $10,790,526.60. | | |
| Certificates of deposit | | 40,495.10 |
| Customers' letters of credit drawn against | | 70,000.00 |
| **Total** | | **$14,869,728.09** |

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, DAVID NEVINS, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DAVID NEVINS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1917.

[Seal.] SAMUEL HEYMAN, Notary Public Bronx County. Certificate filed in New York Co. New York County Clerk's No. 10. New York Register's No. 8038. Term expires March 30, 1918.

Correct—Attest:
THOMAS G. LLOYD,
BYRON L. STRASBURGER,
FRANK PRESBREY,
Directors.

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[No. 1,231.]
REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## THE IMPORTERS & TRADERS NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK,

at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business on March 5, 1917:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts (except those shown on c) | $32,712,724.22 | |
| c. Acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted | 749,999.98 | |
| Total loans | | $33,462,724.20 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | | 10,048.04 |
| Customers' liability account of "acceptances" executed by this bank | | 300,000.00 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | | 51,000.00 |
| Bonds, securities, &c.: Bonds and securities pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (postal excluded) or bills payable | $99,500.00 | |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged | 449,969.74 | |
| Total bonds, securities, &c. | | 549,469.74 |
| Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription) | | 225,000.00 |
| Value of banking house (if unencumbered) | | 700,000.00 |
| Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 20) | | 440,653.43 |
| Exchanges for Clearing House | | 2,411,056.83 |
| Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | | 58,208.02 |
| Outside checks and other cash items | $138,373.43 | |
| Fractional currency, nickels, and cents | 6,790.00 | |
| | | 145,163.43 |
| Notes of other national banks | | 105,829.00 |
| Federal reserve notes | | 90,000.00 |
| 20. Lawful reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank | | 6,779,829.16 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | | 141,550.00 |
| Total | | $45,471,126.85 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $1,500,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | 6,000,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | $1,845,877.13 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | 140,288.42 | |
| | | 1,705,588.71 |
| Amount reserved for taxes accrued | | 80,872.50 |
| Amount reserved for all interest accrued | | 11,529.96 |
| Circulating notes outstanding | | 51,000.00 |
| Net amount due to banks and bankers | | 15,658,269.37 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 5,377.00 |
| Demand deposits: Individual deposits subject to check | | 17,681,776.54 |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days | | 1,124,000.00 |
| Certified checks | | 612,684.62 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | | 757,335.16 |
| State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank | | 50,014.99 |
| Total demand deposits, $20,225,811.31. | | |
| State bank circulation outstanding | | 5,678.00 |
| Acceptances executed for customers | | 300,000.00 |
| Total | | $45,471,126.85 |

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, E. P. TOWNSEND, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. P. TOWNSEND, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1917.

CHAS. E. McCARTHY, Notary Public 22.

[Seal.]

Correct—Attest:
H. H. POWELL,
ISAAC D. FLETCHER,
JOHN J. WALTON,
Directors.

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**UNITED FRUIT COMPANY.**

**DIVIDEND NO. 71.**

A quarterly dividend of two per cent. (two dollars per share) on the capital stock of this Company has been declared, payable on April 14, 1917, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 24, 1917.

The transfer books do not close.

JOHN W. DAMON, Treasurer.

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**The United Gas and Electric Corporation,**

61 Broadway, New York.

March 8, 1917.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) on the Seven Per Cent. First Preferred Stock of this Corporation, payable April 2, 1917, to stockholders of record March 15, 1917. Dividend checks will be mailed.

H. J. PRITCHARD, Treasurer.

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**THE ELECTRIC STORAGE BATTERY COMPANY,**

**Allegheny Avenue & 19th Street,**

Phila., March 7th, 1917.

The Directors have declared a dividend of one per cent. (1%) from the net earnings of the Company on both Common and Preferred Stocks, payable April 2d, 1917, to stockholders of record at the close of business on March 19th, 1917. Checks will be mailed.

WALTER G. HENDERSON, Treasurer.

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# National Bank of Commerce in New York

**STATEMENT OF CONDITION**
**March 5, 1917**

| Resources | | Liabilities | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts | $230,419,346.10 | Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits | $44,463,895.68 |
| Bonds, Securities, etc. | 27,511,390.14 | Deposits | 310,309,823.46 |
| Banking House | 2,000,000.00 | National Bank Notes outstanding | 155,000.00 |
| Due from Banks and Bankers | 14,650,202.63 | Letters of Credit and Acceptances | 24,864,513.95 |
| Cash, Exchanges and due from Federal Reserve Bank | 80,660,429.88 | Unearned Discount | 911,767.29 |
| Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit, Acceptances, etc. | 29,669,876.96 | Other Liabilities | 4,961,835.45 |
| Interest Accrued | 755,590.12 | | |
| | $385,666,835.83 | | $385,666,835.83 |

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STATEMENT—At the Close of Business on the 28th day of February, 1917.

| ASSETS | | LIABILITIES | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Real Estate | [illegible] | Capital Stock | $1,000,000.00 |
| Bonds and Mortgages | [illegible] | Surplus Fund and Undivided Profits (Market Value) | [illegible] |
| Loans on Collaterals | [illegible] | Deposites in Trust | [illegible] |
| Bills Receivable | [illegible] | Life Insurance Fund | [illegible] |
| Cash in Company's Vaults | [illegible] | Annuity Fund | [illegible] |
| Cash on Deposite | [illegible] | Interest Due Depositors, Taxes &c. | [illegible] |
| Accrued Int., Rents, Suspense Acc't, &c. | [illegible] | | |
| Bonds and Stocks (Market Value) | [illegible] | | |
| | $41,304,987.82 | | $41,304,987.82 |

HENRY PARISH, Chairman of the Board

TRUSTEES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Charles G. Thompson | W. Emlen Roosevelt | Paul Tuckerman | Frank S. Witherbee |
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[Charter No. 9717.]
REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## THE GOTHAM NATIONAL BANK

at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business on March 5, 1917.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | | $3,092,652.93 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | | 453.22 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | | 200,000.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc.: Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits | $147,000.00 | |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged | 543,235.76 | |
| Total bonds, securities, &c. | | 690,235.76 |
| Stocks other than Federal Reserve Bank stock | | 21,275.21 |
| Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription) | | 10,500.00 |
| Value of banking house (if unencumbered) | | 20,000.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | | 15,000.00 |
| Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 20) | | 324,633.21 |
| Exchanges for Clearing House | | 204,580.41 |
| Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | | 21,447.61 |
| Outside checks and other cash items | $29,652.02 | |
| Fractional currency, nickels, and cents | 2,758.78 | |
| | | 32,410.80 |
| Notes of other national banks | | 9,175.00 |
| Federal Reserve notes | | 54,190.00 |
| (20) Lawful reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank | | 1,028,932.60 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | | 10,000.00 |
| Total | | $5,735,536.15 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $200,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | 200,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | $63,593.45 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | 25,561.10 | |
| | | 38,032.35 |
| Amount reserved for taxes accrued | | 1,368.25 |
| Circulating notes outstanding | | 200,000.00 |
| Net amount due to banks and bankers | | 22,308.12 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 20.00 |
| Demand deposits: Individual deposits subject to check | | 4,551,604.58 |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days | | 131,559.27 |
| Certified checks | | 48,960.08 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | | 112,822.25 |
| Postal savings deposits | | 146,000.00 |
| Total demand deposits, $5,038,346.18. | | |
| Time deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days' or more notice): Certificates of deposit | | 33,200.00 |
| Total of time deposits, $33,200.00. | | |
| Cash letters of credit and travelers' checks outstanding | | 2,176.10 |
| Liabilities other than those above stated, income tax withheld | | 152.12 |
| Total | | $5,735,536.15 |

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, C. A. CORNELL, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. CORNELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1917.

[Seal.] F. J. VERITZAN, JR., Notary Public, Nassau County. Certificate filed in New York County, No. 48; New York County Register's No. 8,044.

Correct—Attest:
HOWARD WILLETS,
CHAS. R. SAUL,
THOMAS KELLY,
Directors.

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## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF JERSEY CITY.

Jersey City, N. J., March 5, 1917.

RESOURCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | $4,584,027.35 |
| Due from banks and bankers | 6,317,997.36 |
| Real estate and securities | 521,756.20 |
| United States bonds | 550,000.00 |
| Cash on hand and in Federal Reserve Bank | 1,892,206.84 |
| Customers' liability under letters of credit | 121,600.00 |
| | $13,987,587.75 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital | $400,000.00 |
| Surplus and undivided profits | 1,291,977.53 |
| Circulation | 394,600.00 |
| Deposits | 11,779,410.22 |
| Letters of credit guaranteed | 121,600.00 |
| | $13,987,587.75 |

E. I. EDWARDS, President.
ROBT. E. JENNINGS, Vice President.
HENRY BROWN, Jr., Cashier.
JACOB R. WORTENDYKE, Asst. Cashier.

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**BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION, Notice of Dividends on Preferred and Common Stock.**

The ten per cent. dividend upon the common stock and the first installment of 1¾% of the seven per cent. dividend upon the preferred stock of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, which were declared on January 23, 1917, will be payable on April 2, 1917, to the stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. on March 15, 1917; the second installment of the dividend upon the preferred stock will be payable on July 2, 1917, to the preferred stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. on June 15, 1917; the third installment on October 1, 1917, to the preferred stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. on September 15, 1917; and the fourth installment on January 2, 1918, to the preferred stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. on December 15, 1917.

Checks will be mailed.

Dated March 1, 1917.

B. H. JONES, Secretary.

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[No. 1290.]
REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## The Citizens National Bank of New York

at New York City, in the State of New York, at the close of business March 5th, 1917

RESOURCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | $28,058,908.52 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | 142.83 |
| Customers' liability under letters of credit actually used | 58,135.00 |
| Customers' liability account of "Acceptances" executed by this bank | 676,469.12 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | 1,026,100.00 |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds owned unpledged | 437,125.60 |
| Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock | 23,500.00 |
| Stock of Federal Reserve Bank | 136,500.00 |
| Net amount due from banks and bankers | 691,343.09 |
| Exchanges for Clearing House | 1,589,283.18 |
| Other checks on banks in the same city | 471,078.60 |
| Outside checks and other cash items .... $268,461.38<br>Fractional currency, nickels, and cents.. 7,724.00 | 276,185.38 |
| Notes of other national banks | 26,000.00 |
| Federal Reserve notes | 10,000.00 |
| Lawful reserve in vault and due from Federal Reserve Bank | 5,344,915.62 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | 102,305.00 |
| Customers' liability on acceptances bought and sold | 334,404.37 |
| Total | $39,262,851.30 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $2,550,000.0 |
| Surplus fund | | 2,000,000.0 |
| Undivided profits | $694,058.09 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | 146,442.80 | |
| | | 547,615.2 |
| Reserved for interest unearned on bills discounted | | 200,000.00 |
| Reserved for taxes accrued | | 12,200.00 |
| Reserved for all interest accrued | | 33,056.5 |
| Circulating notes outstanding | | 1,012,700.00 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 316.00 |
| Net amount due to banks and bankers | | 5,643,883.86 |
| Demand deposits: Individual deposits subject to check | 24,723,364.47 | |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days | 11,456.35 | |
| Certified checks | 228,762.19 | |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 116,087.00 | |
| Total demand deposits, $25,079,670.01. | | |
| Time deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice): Certificates of deposit | 50,000.00 | |
| Other time deposits | 1,050,100.00 | |
| | | 31,823,658.57 |
| Total time deposits, $1,100,100.00 | | |
| Cash letters of credit or travelers' checks outstanding | $1,928.32 | |
| Customers' letters of credit drawn against | 58,135.00 | |
| | | 60,063.32 |
| Acceptances executed for customers | | 633,826.75 |
| Contingent liability as endorsers on acceptances | | 334,404.37 |
| Total | | $39,262,851.30 |

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. K. CHAPMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1917.

[SEAL.] C. MORRISON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
FRANCIS M. BACON, JR.,
ROBERT B. HIRSCH,
WM. FELLOWES MORGAN,
Directors.

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# The Second National Bank

**of the City of New York**

**Fifth Avenue and 28th Street**

## STATEMENT OF CONDITION

**March 5, 1917**

| RESOURCES | | LIABILITIES | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans, Discounts and Investments | $16,502,351.64 | Capital | $1,000,000.00 |
| United States Bonds to Secure Circulation | 770,000.00 | Surplus and Undivided Profits | 3,544,271.52 |
| Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit | 5,305.32 | Reserved for Taxes and Unearned Discount | 52,000.00 |
| Banking House | 1,171,950.99 | Circulation | 754,897.50 |
| Due from Banks | 297,171.79 | Deposits | 16,447,366.22 |
| 5% Redemption Fund, and Due from United States Treasurer | 38,500.00 | United States Bond Account | 810,000.00 |
| Cash, Exchanges for Clearing House and Due from Federal Reserve Bank | 3,829,445.48 | Other Liabilities | 6,189.98 |
| | $22,614,725.22 | | $22,614,725.22 |

DIRECTORS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Aitken | Edward H. Peaslee | William A. Simonson |
| H. Blanchard Dominick | Dwight S. Richardson | Louis M. Starr |
| Thomas A. Howell | Percy A. Rockefeller | James A. Stillman |
| F. Colt Johnson | | Percy S. Straus |

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**Yadkin River Power Company**

**Preferred Stock Dividend No. 4.**

The Board of Directors of this Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of one and three-fourths per cent. (1¾%) on the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable April 2, 1917, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 16, 1917.

E. P. SUMMERSON, Treasurer.

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**CAROLINA POWER & LIGHT CO.**
**PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 32.**

The Board of Directors of this Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters (1¾%) per cent. on the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable April 2, 1917, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 16, 1917.

E. P. SUMMERSON, Treasurer.

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**Asheville Power & Light Company**

**Preferred Stock Dividend No. 20.**

The Board of Directors of this Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of one and three-fourths per cent. (1¾%) on the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable April 2, 1917, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 16, 1917.

E. P. SUMMERSON, Treasurer.

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**SOUTH PORTO RICO SUGAR COMPANY.**

February 20, 1917.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared quarterly dividends of 2% on the Preferred Stock and 5% on the Common Stock, payable on April 2, 1917, to stockholders of record March 15, 1917.

F. A. DILLINGHAM, Secretary.

# COTTON IRREGULAR

## Railroad Strike Threats and Rumors of Peace Move Affect the Market.

The cotton market was nervous and irregular yesterday. An early decline was followed by sharp rallies and the close was very steady, March contracts showing a net loss of 17 points, while May and later deliveries were 5 to 11 points net higher.

The decline in prices during the morning session was attributed to reports of a threatened railroad strike, which suggested a tieup of cotton shipments from the South, and to a rumor that another peace move on the part of Germany was to be expected within a very short time. There were also reports which sought to exaggerate the seriousness of President Wilson's illness. While these reports and rumors appeared discouraging, the trade seemed to take a more optimistic view of things by announcements indicating that the American Line would very shortly send out its ships. Part of the selling was due to the circulation of a few March notices.

The market opened steady at an advance of 2 to 5 points, in response to relatively steady Liverpool cables. Prices soon turned easier under scattering liquidation and selling for a reaction. On a decline to about 17.50c for July, trade buying showed itself, and the market steadied toward the middle of the day, after prices had shown a net loss of about 10 to 27 points. For a time trading was quiet, but became more active on the more optimistic view of international affairs, and the highest prices of the day were reached in the late trading.

Following are yesterday's quotations:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Mon. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 18.25 | 18.25 | 17.90 | 18.05 | 18.22 |
| April | .. | .. | .. | 17.99 | 18.12 |
| May | 17.95 | 18.00 | 17.68 | 17.97@17.99 | 17.92 |
| June | .. | .. | .. | 17.93 | 17.87 |
| July | 17.73 | 17.83 | 17.48 | 17.80@17.83 | 17.72 |
| Aug. | 17.66 | 17.66 | 17.66 | 17.68@17.73 | 17.60 |
| Sept. | .. | .. | .. | 17.01 | 16.94 |
| Oct. | 16.83 | 16.92 | 16.72 | 16.89@16.91 | 16.83 |
| Nov. | .. | .. | .. | 16.91 | 16.84 |
| Dec. | 16.97 | 17.02 | 16.82 | 17.01@17.03 | 16.92 |
| Jan. | 17.01 | 17.08 | 17.01 | 17.06@17.08 | 16.95 |

The local market for spot cotton was quiet and 25 points lower at 18.10 for middling upland. Southern spot markets were unchanged to 25 points lower. Galveston, 18.30c; New Orleans, 17.75c; Savannah, 18½c; Augusta, 18.63c; Memphis, 18c; Houston, 18c.

Liverpool cables reported spot cotton as quiet; sales, 5,000; speculation and export, 500; American, 4,000. Imports, 10,000; American, 9,000. Middling upland, 12.20d. Futures opened quiet at 2 to 3 points decline. Closed steady at a net decline of 9 to 11 points. March-April, 11.68d; May-June, 11.58d; July-August, 11.41d; October-November, 10.78d; January-February, 10.60d.

Manchester: Yarns dull and irregular; cloths dull.

Yesterday's port receipts totaled 17,880 bales, compared with 18,279 last year. Stocks total 1,258,968 bales. Exports for the day were 4,000 bales, making 4,166,028 so far this season.

## COMMODITIES MARKETS.

### WHEAT.

The wheat market was feverish, and prices were sensitive to both bullish and bearish influences. At times, however, values exhibited pronounced strength, and the close was 1 to 2⅜c net higher. Reports from abroad indicated quite extensive requirements, although a Broomhall cable said that, as a result of rigid economy in the consumption of breadstuffs, weekly import requirements have probably been reduced 2,500,000 bushels, which more than offsets the wheat-laden vessels destroyed weekly. In the local cash market No. 2 hard Winter wheat was quoted at $2.06¼; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $2.20¼; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $2.23½, all free on board New York.

CHICAGO PRICES.

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 1.82¼ | 1.78½ | 1.81⅝ | 1.80⅛ | 1.08½ |
| July | 1.55⅝ | 1.51¾ | 1.55⅛ | 1.52⅝ | 1.07⅛ |
| Sept. | 1.44¾ | 1.42 | 1.44 | 1.43 | .. |

### CORN.

The corn market was moderately active, and after an early decline on fears of labor troubles on the railroads prices rallied with wheat and closed firm, with net gains of ¾@1c. There were export sales reported of about 400,000 bushels, partly on Monday, and on the whole the cash situation showed evidence of strength. In the local cash market No. 2 yellow corn was quoted at $1.22¼, cost, insurance, and freight, New York.

CHICAGO PRICES.

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 1.08½ | 1.06½ | 1.08¼ | 1.07¼ | 76½ |
| July | 1.07⅝ | 1.06 | 1.07½ | 1.06⅝ | 77 |
| September | 1.06⅝ | 1.05⅝ | 1.06½ | 1.05¾ | .. |

### OATS.

The oats market was only moderately active, and prices responded to the firmness in wheat and corn and were influenced by reports of export sales of about 400,000 bushels. The local cash market was firm; standard quoted at 74½@75c; No. 3 white, 74@74½c; No. 4 white, 73½@74c; fancy clipped white, 75½@78c; ordinary clipped white, 74½@76c, all elevator.

CHICAGO PRICES.

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | .58¼ | .57¼ | .58 | .57½ | .44⅝ |
| July | .56¼ | .55⅝ | .56⅛ | .55¾ | .43¼ |

### PROVISIONS.

There was a severe break in the provision market, led by pork, which declined about 120 points. The close was near the lowest on lard and ribs, but pork showed a partial recovery on a late demand from shorts. The selling was quite general and partly due to lower hogs, which weakened sentiment in connection with the decline in grain. Chicago received 13,000 hogs and expected 36,000 on Wednesday, while Kansas City had 15,000 and Omaha 17,000.

CHICAGO PRICES.

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lard— | | | | | |
| May | 18.87 | 18.77 | 18.80 | 18.97 | 11.00 |
| July | 18.85 | 18.75 | 18.80 | 18.97 | 11.22 |
| Ribs— | | | | | |
| May | 17.45 | 17.35 | 17.37 | 17.50 | 12.17 |
| July | 17.52 | 17.45 | 17.47 | 17.55 | 12.37 |
| Pork— | | | | | |
| May | 32.50 | 31.75 | 32.25 | 33.10 | 23.05 |
| July | 32.05 | 31.30 | 31.75 | 32.50 | 22.80 |

### COTTONSEED OIL.

The action of the lard market caused considerable nervousness in oil, and, while price changes were not particularly important, the undertone was easy, and at the close of the day values were 4 to 10 points net lower. The March tenders amounted to 500 barrels, which brings the total so far up to 17,700 barrels. Range of prices:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Spot | .. | .. | 13.30 | 13.35 |
| March | .. | .. | 13.30@13.40 | 13.40 |
| April | 13.82 | 13.30 | 13.31@13.34 | 13.35 |
| May | 13.37 | 13.31 | 13.35@13.37 | 13.41 |
| June | .. | .. | 13.35@13.38 | 13.42 |
| July | 13.38 | 13.35 | 13.36@13.38 | 13.44 |
| August | 13.40 | 13.39 | 13.37@13.39 | 13.46 |
| September | 13.42 | 13.40 | 13.39@13.41 | 13.46 |
| October | 12.92 | 12.92 | 12.91@12.95 | 12.98 |

### COFFEE.

The action of the coffee market yesterday probably reflected the combined influence of a stronger technical position and peace rumors. Buying was not active, but there was a larger volume of business than on the previous day, and the close was 6 to 9 points net higher. Sales were reported of 40,250 bags. The local spot market was somewhat irregular, with quotations on the basis of 9⅝c for Rio 7s and 10c for Santos 4s. Range of prices:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | .. | .. | 7.42@7.46 | 7.36 |
| April | .. | .. | 7.49 | 7.43 |
| May | 7.55 | 7.50 | 7.55@7.56 | 7.49 |
| June | .. | .. | 7.63@7.64 | 7.57 |
| July | 7.65 | 7.65 | 7.70@7.71 | 7.64 |
| August | .. | .. | 7.76@7.77 | 7.70 |
| September | 7.82 | 7.78 | 7.82@7.83 | 7.76 |
| October | .. | .. | 7.87@7.88 | 7.81 |
| November | .. | .. | 7.93@7.94 | 7.86 |
| December | 7.99 | 7.95 | 7.99@8.00 | 7.92 |
| January | .. | .. | 8.06@8.07 | 7.98 |
| February | .. | .. | 8.13@8.14 | 8.04 |

### SUGAR.

The market for sugar futures opened irregular, 5 points lower to 5 points higher, but later developed an easier tendency under heavy liquidation and profit taking, the close showing net losses of 5 to 16 points, with transactions for the day totaling about 25,000 tons. Range of prices:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 4.55 | 4.42 | 4.41@4.42 | 4.57 |
| April | 4.60 | 4.35 | 4.50@4.51 | 4.60 |
| May | 4.69 | 4.53 | 4.52@4.54 | 4.65 |
| June | 4.70 | 4.60 | 4.58@4.60 | 4.68 |
| July | 4.75 | 4.69 | 4.64@4.65 | 4.70 |
| August | .. | .. | 4.66@4.67 | 4.72 |
| September | 4.79 | 4.70 | 4.68@4.70 | 4.73 |
| October | .. | .. | 4.58@4.60 | 4.66 |
| November | .. | .. | 4.48@4.50 | 4.56 |
| December | 4.48 | 4.44 | 4.40@4.42 | 4.48 |
| January | .. | .. | 4.30@4.35 | .. |

There was no change in list prices of refined sugar, which was listed at from 7@8c for fine granulated, but the Federal, which was listed at 8c, was said to be accepting orders at 7.50c. There was a good inquiry reported and withdrawals on old contract were good, but new business was still restricted owing to the inability of refiners to guarantee delivery. The raw sugar market is still largely under the influence of the conflicting reports regarding conditions in Cuba and to the unsettled refined sugar situation here, causing sentiment to be very unsettled and the market more or less irregular. At the close of the market there was a decline of 1/16c on a sale to a local refiner of 16,000 bags Cubas, afloat, at 4 7/16c, cost and freight basis, equal to 5.46c, duty paid. There was a further lot of Cubas sold for late March shipment at 4 7/16, cost and freight. Quotations follow: Centrifugal, 5.46c; molasses, 4.59c; cost and freight, 4 7/16c.

### BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER.—Receipts yesterday, 10,574 packages. Some houses had fair trade, others were quiet, but on the whole a moderate quantity of stock was moved from first hands. The general tone was barely steady, and yet most operators were unwilling to make any concession, especially on the finer grades. Creamery, higher scoring than extras, per lb, 41½@42c; extras, (92 score,) 40½@41c; firsts, (88 to 91 score,) 37½@40c; seconds, (83 to 87 score,) 35@37c; thirds, 34@34½c; creamery, unsalted, higher than extras, 41½@42½c; extras, 40½@41c; firsts, 38@40c; seconds, 35½@37½c; creamery, held, higher than extras, 38¾@39c; extras, 38¼@38½c; firsts, 37@38c; seconds, 34½@36½c; thirds, 33½@34c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 39½@40c; good to prime, 37@39c; common to fair, 29@36c; renovated, extras, 33@33½c; firsts, 31½@32c; lower grades, 29@31c; imitation creamery, firsts, 31@32c; ladles, current make, firsts, 28½@29½c; seconds, 28c; lower grades, 27@27½c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 27½@28c; No. 2, 27c; lower grades, 25@26½c.

EGGS.—Receipts, 25,708 cases. The tone of the market was firmer on Western eggs. Local distributing trade is fair, and there is some speculative buying induced by reports of impending railroad strikes. The bulk of the current receipts sold within range of 27@27½c, some poor Southern lower, and some closely selected marks slightly higher. Nearby eggs are weaker on average receipts of mixed colors, and fancy whites barely steady. Fresh gathered, extras, per dozen, 28½@29c; extra firsts, 28c; firsts, 27@27½c; seconds and lower grades, 26@26½c, dirties, 24½@25½c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby Western hennery whites, fine to fancy, 31@33c; ordinary to good, 29@30c; gathered whites, ordinary to fine, 30@31c; Western and Southern, gathered whites, 29@30c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby hennery browns, 29@30c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 27½@28c; duck eggs, Baltimore, 46c; Far Southern, 42@44c.

### MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

*Special to The New York Times.*

COLORADO SPRINGS.

| | Bid. | Asked. | | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cresson | 6 | 6¼ | Gold Sov. | 4½ | 6 |
| Dr. J'pot. | 7⅞ | 8¼ | Granite | 50 | 55 |
| Elkton | 10 | 14 | Isabella | 19½ | 20¼ |
| El Paso | 40 | 50 | McKinney | 20 | 30 |
| Findlay | .. | 7 | Portland | 177 | 180 |
| Golden C. | 244 | 244½ | Vindicator | 80 | 88½ |
| Gold Dol. | .. | 4 | U. Gold M. | 16 | 17½ |

# NEW INCORPORATIONS

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, N. Y., March 13.—Forty-nine corporations having aggregate capitalization of $1,855,400 were chartered today. They include:

Pfanstiehl Co., Inc., Millbrook, metals of all kinds, products, mechanical electrical engineers, machinery, mining, milling, 4,000 shares $100 each, 1,000 shares no par value, working capital $405,000; H. S. Gould, A. L. Schwartz, J. N. Frank, 76 West Monroe St., Chicago, Ill.

Sheepshead Bay and Rockaway Transportation Corp'n., ferry, Sheepshead Bay to Rockaway Park, $250,000; W. J. Spurr, F. W. Haldy, J. C. M. Enslen, 255 Fort Washington Av., New York.

Hygienic Cigar Co., Inc., tobacco, cigars, smokers' outfits, $125,000; A. Kushner, C. Cosme, T. Schonholz, 814 East 163d St.

General Gasine Corpn., liquid fuels, chemists, engineers, designers, $175,000; W. G. Brown, E. A. Pirscher, F. C. Schussler, 5 West 104th St.

Three Point Truck Corp'n, motor vehicles, parts, equipment, accessories, $300,000; O. Schultheis, G. S. Freeman, S. R. Banks, 51 East 42d St.

Vimoid Drug Co., Inc., Inwood, chemists, druggists, $100,000; C. Smith, F. R. Merrall, G. S. Wallace, 148 Bay 22d St.

Society of American Singers, Inc., theatres, opera houses, 200 shares $100 each, 1,000 shares no par value, working capital, $25,000; G. Hamlin, D. Bispham, A. Reiss, 223 Riverside Drive.

E. H. Crawford Co., Inc., Buffalo, asbestos goods, insulating materials, $30,000; F. A. Dorsett, H. H. and E. H. Crawford, 357 Box Av., Buffalo.

Investors' Public Service, Inc., publishers, booksellers, stationers, collect, distribute financial, commercial news, 2,000 shares no par value; working capital $10,000; J. D. Fackenthal, F. P. Stockbridge, T. White, 2,542 Creston Av., Bronx.

W. H. Draper & Sons, Inc., Troy, cord, cordage, twine, other commodities, $75,000, E. E., A. L., and W. H. Draper, Troy.

James A. McClurg Corp., candy, $90,000; J. A. McClurg, C. M. Ford, W. H. Quin, 1,009 Lincoln Place.

Empire State Auto-Trailer Co., Inc., Buffalo, motors, engines, machines, vehicles, equipment, auto tires, $50,000; J. Kascubowski, F. Tucker, C. B. Rowell, Buffalo.

U. S. Wall Pocket Mfg. Co., Inc., paper goods, novelties, works of art, advertising novelties, $25,000; W. Pfuhl, C. F. Nicolai, J. Speier, 421 East 148th St., Bronx.

Gorden Mill Work Co., Inc., painted posts, lumber, timber products, cross ties, cooperage, planing mill products, $25,000; F. A. Gordon, V. Husbands, J. J. Stamler, Elizabeth, N. J.

Trade Extension Co., Inc., advertising, $15,000; C. G. Moody, C. T. Krouse, R. Brown, 273 East 176th St., Bronx.

Fibres Trading and Grading Co., Inc., mercantile, trading, fibres, seeds, goods, wares, merchandise, $10,000; H. Bauersfeld, S. M. Teeter, F. R. Smyth, 27 William St.

Art Celluloid Co., Inc., Brooklyn, celluloid novelties, optical goods, $6,000; P. Berman, L. Rosenblatt, I. A. Backal, 703 East 5th St.

The M. L. Arbit Iron and Metal Co., Inc., Troy, junk, $10,000; H. E. Clinton, A. F. Egan, M. L. Arbit, 202 River St., Troy.

Textile Binding and Trimming Co., Inc., bindings, trimmings, novelties, $12,000; N. Goldberg, J. Engelman, C. E. Stein, 1,545 Fulton Av., Bronx.

Chase Sales Corp'n, extracts, syrups, sugar, molasses, starch, food products, $10,000; C. W. McChesney, S. E. Chase, W. R. Ladenheim, 25 William St.

C. T. Hancock Co., Inc., Bay Shore, advertising, principals, agents, 100 shares no par value, begin business with $500; J. L. Lockwood, L. C. Butler, C. T. Hancock, 450 Audubon Av., Manhattan.

Lesser & Vealie Textile Art and Embroidery Works, Inc., textile fabrics, embroideries, art linens, raw material, $10,000; T. and R. Lesser, — Vealie, 129 5th Av.

G. & S. Bedding Co., Inc., bedding materials, $5,000; J. Schwartz, M. and B. Greenberg, 233 3d Av.

Joyce-Koebel Co., Inc., Eddyville, diamond, carbon, $5,000; R. Lipnick, W. N. Seligsberg, F. E. Kobel, 39 West 32d St.

Demler Art Corp'n, Rochester, art objects, enameling, decorating glassware, china, metals, $5,000; A. and F. C. Demler, F. S. Thomas, 24 Wellington Av., Rochester.

16 East 71st Street Co., Inc., realty, $5,000; H. H. Jacobson, C. A. Weldon, S. Bernheim, 35 Nassau St.

The North Star Inn Co., Inc., Brooklyn, hotel, restaurant, liquors, cigars, $5,000; G. Edwards, H. and P. Prokop, 20 Smith St.

Fox Metal Mfg. Corp'n, Manhattan, electric lamps, $5,000; J. Levy, W. H. Vider, B. B. Bernstein, Jersey City, N. J.

Benzion & Fetcher Co., Inc., soda water fountains, $5,000; R. and S. Fecher, J. Benzion, 211 East Houston St.

The Lincoln Cafe, Inc., hotels, restaurants, cafes, $5,000; M. Korback, F. K. Goette, F. E. Saelzer, 465 Lenox Av.

The Ruck Realty Corp., Bronx, realty, $5,000; P. V. and B. L. Sherwood, W. F. Smith, 128 Waverly Place.

The Dispatch Printery and Bindery Corp., publishing, printing, capital no par value, begin with $500; A. M. Eberhardt, M. E. Howard, J. G. Griffin, 305 West 71st St.

Lodgers, Travelers and Summer Guests Information Bureau, Inc., Brooklyn, information, autos, boats, realty, brokerage, $10,000; M. Becker, L. S. Eideman, I. M. Kalt, 1,379 54th St., Brooklyn.

Broad Street Clothiers, Inc., men's, boys' clothing, $5,000; C. Zeeman, D. and H. Ostrove, 242 Grand St.

L. & S. Waist Co., Inc., waists, wearing apparel for ladies, $5,000; R. Deibel, S. Abramowitz, L. Nieberg, 53 Lenox Av.

Lincoln Theatre Co., Inc., Schenectady, theatres, moving picture houses, opera houses, $15,000; J. J. and E. J. Walker, F. A. Blumer, 907 Brandywine Av., Schenectady.

Authorizations: Hole Proof Hosiery Co., Inc., Milwaukee, Wis., hosiery, other merchandise, $25,000. Representative, W. W. Freschl, 200 5th Av, New York.

Willis-Morrow Co., Inc., Toledo, Ohio, autos, trucks, vehicles, vessels, machinery, engines, $100,000. Representative, A. P. Morrow, Elmira.

Noah MacDowell & Co., Inc., Jersey City, N. J., pharmaceutical medicinal preparations, food products, $50,000. Representative, N. MacDowell, Sr., 120 Broadway, New York.

General Motors Truck Co., Inc., Pontiac, Mich., autos, accessories, trucks, cars, airplanes, $10,000. Representative, C. B. Warren, 246 West 59th St., New York.

Lykes Brothers, Inc., Florida; realty, personal property, $500,000. Representative, J. T. Lykes, 25 Beaver St., New York.

Capital increases: Copper Queen Consolidated Mining Co., New York, $2,000,000 to $50,000,000, (tax paid, $24,000;) Vaudeville Collection Agency, New York, $500 to $100,000; Bonbright & Co., New York, $500,000 to $650,000; Steffanson & Co., Inc., New York, $100,000 to $1,000,000; Kingsport Securities Corp., New York, $45,000 to $225,000.

Voluntary dissolutions: W. P. Herbert & Co., Inc., Troy; Foresky & Frant, Inc., Brooklyn.

### Delaware Charters.

*Special to The New York Times.*

DOVER, Del., March 13.—Charters filed:

Wichita Independent Consolidated Companies, produce and sell crude petroleum and its products, acquire and obtain by any lawful manner mineral lands, of lead, zinc, copper, aluminium, &c., $25,000,000, (tax paid, $1,350;) H. J. Buser, A. F. Buser, F. A. Beach, C. J. Carney, W. R. Hochems, all of Wichita, Kan.

American Natural Gas and Oil Corp., produce oil and natural gas and supply same to the market; A. W. Britton, S. B. Howard, Harry B. Davis, all of New York.

Katama Oil Co., acquire oil and gas lands and develop same, $300,000; Charles H. Blaney, George A. Burkhard, New York; Levi S. Tenney, Montclair, N. J.

# BUSINESS WORLD

## Buyers' Wants

*50 Cents per agate line each insertion.*

AMERICAN POPLIN or similar in navy and gold; quantity. Telephone Chelsea 2763.

BUTTONS, trimmings, braids, novelties; cash for jobs of every description. Ferst, Spring 7980.

CHECKS.—Black and white wool or wool mixed, all wool navy flannels, navy and black poplins; any quantities. Will pay cash. Herman Cloak Co., 30 West 26th St. Farragut 9930.

COATS.—Highest cash prices paid for jobs ladies' and children's coats, suits, dresses, skirts. Eastern, 448 Broadway. Spring 358.

COATS.—Jobbers placing orders on infants', intermediate, and children's Fall coats all week. 43 West 24th, 3d floor.

COATS.—Jobber looking at samples infants' white and colored coats, sizes 1-3, 2-6. 9 West 24th, 11th floor.

COATS.—Open for children's and misses' Fall coats. Siegel & Barnett, 504 6th Av.

COATS.—Jobber wants ladies' Spring coats and suits for cash. Falk, 19 West 27th.

COATS.—Placing orders for Fall coats; call with samples. 7th floor, 48 West 25th.

CORDUROYS.—Can use all colors, narrow and wide wale. R 147 Times.

DRESSES.—Contractors, with 50 machines, looking to connect with a large manufacturer of silk and cotton dresses and waists; can turn out 3,000 dresses weekly. Howard, 2,082 1st Av.

DRESSES.—Looking at coat dresses, sport dresses; also wash dresses; orders placed on samples. Fifth floor, 39 West 32d.

DRESSES.—Open for sport and wash dresses; also for sport and wash skirts; placing orders. 146 West 25th St., 3d floor.

DRESSES.—Large jobber looking at better grade of cotton dresses. Levy & Shapiro, 168 Madison Av., corner 33d St.

DRESSES.—Contractors, call with samples of silk dresses Wednesday, from 1 to 6 P. M. 12 West 31st St., 3d floor.

DRESSES, COATS AND SUITS.—Open for jobs, spot cash. Handels, 336 6th Av.

FLANNELS.—Wanted quantity 27-inch red, navy, and gray. Greenberg, 114 East 23d.

GABARDINES.—Tan and rookie shades wanted. Cohen Bros. & Greenky, 14 West 17th St.

MALLISON'S KHAKI KOOL wanted; any quantity. Phone 6691 Madison Square.

MERCHANDISE wanted. We buy merchandise of every description for spot cash; quantity no object. Telephone Chelsea 6167. Ferdinand Ehrlich, 100 5th Av.

MESSALINE.—P. D. C., open for quantity, black and navy. Madison Square 7593.

PLUSHES.—Any quantity, velours, high shades, also gray; cheap. Merit Co.

POPLINS.—Will buy heavyweight poplins in rose, magenta, and apple green for cash. Farragut 554.

POPLIN wanted; high shades, for cash. W. Rubens, Madison Square 7145.

SERGES.—French serges, gabardines, Poiret twills, silk and wool poplins; immediate delivery; submit samples, quote prices. P 196 Times.

SERGES.—Wanted for export, large quantities 0936 or similar fabrics; cash payments. Telephone 2189 Madison Square.

SERGES 06025 navy American and high shades poplin for cash. The Modern Cloak & Suit House, 15 West 26th St.

SILK JERSEY, satin striped plaids, taffetas, plain and printed Shantungs; open for quantities. 34 West 17th St. 8th floor.

SOIREES.—Navy, and colored Gros de Londres wanted. Louis Albert, 44 East 32d.

SUITS.—Contractors wanted with own styles; placing large orders with our material. 33 West 34th St., Room 504.

SUITS.—Placing orders on better grade. 35 West 31st, 7th floor.

TAFFETAS.—We are open to buy a quantity of high-grade taffeta. Hershfield Co., 164 West 25th.

VELOURS AND POPLINS.—Open for all shades velours and poplins for cash. Cassidy & Dorfman, 38 West 21st.

VELOURS.—Open to buy in all colors; state best price. Farr. 2347.

VELOURS.—Apple green wool; will pay cash. Wertheim, Gramercy 4467.

WOOLEN GABARDINES.—Rose, gold, and apple green; 25 pieces; cash. Far. 4323.

## Offerings to Buyers

ADDRESSOGRAPH MACHINE for sale, with 11,000 names, stencils, and plates being used by a ladies' wearing apparel concern; will sell for a reasonable price to an immediate buyer. P. B., 210 Times Downtown.

BOTANY POIRET, 5861, gold, apple; Garfield tricotines, 4718, in grey, gold, apple. Madison Square 8777.

BROADCLOTH.—Botany in stock for immediate delivery. Phone Gramercy 2460.

CHUDDAH CLOTH, checks; Joel's 812 serge, 11433 tan, copen.; cheap. Far. 9812.

COATS.—Suits and sport coats to close out at low prices; we are now working on Fall lines. Ulin Brothers, 55 East 11th. Stuy. 3046.

COATS, $3.50 to $12. The coat house of unmatchable values; immediate delivery. Ellner Co., 49-51 West 24th St.

COATS AND SUITS.—Tailored and taffeta coats and suits on hand for immediate delivery. T. Weinberg & Sons, 144 West 27th.

COATS AND SUITS.—Immediate delivery, all-wool gabardine coats, 45 inches long, $5.75. A. H. Hollander, 28 West 25th.

COATS, 100; suits, 100; dresses, 100; skirts, 100; waists, 100; for sale at sacrifice. Z 317 Times Annex.

COATS.—Stock on hand at low price for immediate delivery. Chas. Cohen & Bro., 113 West 17th St.

COATS, American woolen poplin, $4.75; suits, $7.75; immediate delivery. Talbot, 114 West 27th.

COATS.—Jobs 200 sport coats, assorted; good lot for a sale. Behrman & Glekel, 484 6th Av.

COATS.—Quantity plush coats, fur, beaver trimmed; cheap. Hutner, 48 West 25th.

COATS.—$1.90 up; suits, $4 up; immediate delivery. Hutner, 48 West 25th St.

COATS.—Wonderful styles in silk and satin; $8.50 up. Novick, 40 West 28th.

COTTON GOODS.—We can offer all descriptions below market prices. Friedman-Wallach Co., 71 West 23d St.

CREPE METEORS.—Silk and wool poplins, satins; all grades; immediate delivery. Marks & Senner, 354 4th Av. Mad. Sq. 9380.

DESK SETS.—Chinese raised lacquer desk sets, tea tables; high-grade goods; sacrifice. Spring 5704.

DRESSES.—100 of the better kind, crepe de chine, crepe de meteor, taffeta, Georgette, to close out for cash. Lam Dress Co., 1,170 Broadway.

DRESSES.—Wedding and party dresses for immediate delivery, $6.50 to $12.50. J. Hollander & Son, 6-8 West 22d St.

DRESSES, party and wedding, to close out very reasonable. L. Schwartz, 12 West 31st St.

DRESSES.—75 French serge and 75 taffeta dresses to close out at $4.75. Standard Dress Co., 11 East 31st.

DRESSES on hand for immediate delivery; big stock of all kinds of silk dresses at low prices. J. Holtzman, 134 West 29th St.

DRESSES.—150 silk and serge dresses of the better kind to sell out cheap. 124 West 18th St., 6th floor.

DRESSES.—Job of silk and serge to close out at a price. Waldorf Dress House, 38 West 33d St.

DRESSES.—200 serges to close out at a price; good models. Pan-American, 5 West 31st St.

DRESSES.—Afternoon and street dresses for immediate delivery. Glockner, 40 W. 27th.

DRESSES.—100 serge dresses to close out. Lincoln Dress Co., 39 West 32d St.

DRESSES.—Close out 200 assorted silk dresses. Phone Greeley 2475.

EMBROIDERY SILK for stitching purposes; all colors, coarse, sizes, for millinery, on spools; cheap. Logan Textile, 874 B'way.

GABARDINES, POPLINS. — Cream serges. Wellington Woolen Co., Farr. 8857, 1,183 Broadway.

GINGHAMS.—Amoskeag, Clarence Whitman and Berwick quality, below market quotations. Gramercy 4436.

JERSEY CLOTH, all wool, best quality, in all shades; immediate delivery. Samson-Mendelsohn Co., 656 Broadway. Spring 2716.

KNITTED PIECE GOODS.—Mill booking orders knitted piece goods, ladies' underwear; any yarn. V 340 Times Downtown.

ORGANDY.—We have white organdy from 9½ to 12 cents, 40 inches, to close out. Gramercy 4834.

PLUSH.—Plushes for sale at a price. Gramercy 6698.

POPLINS. — All shades, $1.45. Chelsea 2916.

SERGE.—American 09050, opening price; also other woolens. Wolf & Steinberg, 32 West 20th St.

SERGE.—Good mannish black; also Andrew's 1464 Copen, tan, $1.30 net. Chelsea 1858.

SERGE.—4002, perfect 53½; also tan, rose corduroy; cheap. 881 Gramercy.

SERGE.—Whitman's, styles 9 and 104, to close out. Greeley 4382.

SERGES.—U. S. 235-58 navy and black, cheap; also Juilliards, serges, Bachmann serges, 77½c. Chelsea 8458.

SERGES.—Juilliards 54221 and 54249 and botany 11433; all colors. Farragut 3816.

SERGES.—To sell, 25 pieces American 0950 navy at $1.10. Stuyvesant 3757.

SILK BELTING, black and white, 2¼ and 3 inches; good quality. Washington Plet. and Bind Co., 145 West 18th St. Chelsea 7754.

SILK DRESSES.—Taffeta, Georgette combinations in stock for delivery. Tip-Top Waist and Dress Co., 134 West 37th.

SNAP FASTENERS.—Imported finish, finest quality, largest output; all sizes; immediate deliveries; extraordinary inducements for large quantities. Snap Fastener Mfg. Co., 1,328 B'way, Suite 635-637. Greeley 2682.

## Offerings to Buyers

SNAP FASTENERS. — Spring fasteners for export; immediate delivery; bulk or carded; or your own cards if desired. Spring 9539.

SNAP FASTENERS.—Lowest price; jobber's special inducements. Steiner, 145 West 28th. Farragut 4269.

SUITS—10,000, in high shades. Latest models at the right prices. Rothstein & Nelson, 129 West 29th St.

SUITS.—Close out serge silk-lined at $6.75; also poplin suits and coats. 127 West 17th, 5th floor.

SUITS.—Job lot of ladies' suits, Spring styles, for sale, very cheap. 152 East 23d, 6th floor.

SUITS, COATS.—Silks and cloths, immediate delivery. Hirsch & Bro., 153 West 27th St.

SUITS.—Jobs and regular stock on hand; quick delivery. Lieblich, 25 West 15th St.

SUITS, all shades, for immediate delivery, $7.90 up. Hirschhon Bros., 12 West 27th.

TAFFETAS, Georgettes, and peau de cygnes; immediate delivery. Luvan Silk Co. & Elbe Silk Co., 44 East 23d St.

TAFFETAS. — Washable satin; Georgettes; all colors; immediate delivery. J. L. Sachs, 315 4th Av. Gramercy 3445-3446.

TAFFETAS.—Large quantity in all the leading shades. Farragut 3320. Inquire Mr. Ruben.

VELOURS.—All colors; French, mannish, and storm serges, shepherd checks; immediate delivery; low prices. Warren Woolen Co., 41 West 25th St. Farragut 2180.

VELOURS.—Best quality, in all shades; immediate delivery. Samson-Mendelsohn Co., Inc., 656 Broadway. Phone Spring 2716.

VELOURS.—Bolivia, lightweight jersey cloth, all colors, also white serges, to sell. Greeley 4007.

VELOURS and Brulleas in all shades at opening prices. Chelsea 3110.

WAISTS.—Job, large quantity of crepe de chine, Georgette, and lace waists, prices from $27 to $45 per dozen, to close out at a sacrifice. Original Supreme Waist Co., 114 West 26th St.

WAISTS.—Crepe de chine, Georgette, to close out, cheap. 1,239 Broadway, Room 1,118.

WAISTS.—Popular priced silk and cotton waists to close out. 15 West 20th, 6th floor.

WARDROBE TRUNK for sale reasonable. Fox & Wagenheim, 36 West 17th St.

WOOLENS.—Stevens 3988, 62766; Shaw 77, 78, 83, 88; American 21303; Wilson-Lawrence 456, 430; Juilliard 2037. Madison Sq. 7145. W. Rubens.

WOOLENS.—Holden-Leonard Bolivia in all shades, for sale. Telephone Farragut 3334.

WOOLENS.—15,005 plaid, cheap. Farragut 9220.

### Help and Situations Wanted.

WAISTS, Skirts, Petticoat lines for Boston, vicinity; monthly commission basis. R 152 Times.

### COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday..4@4¼ per cent. for the best names
Monday....4@4¼ " " " " "
The quotations are for six months' paper.

### Rubber Prices Are Steady.

While lower than the high point touched in the recent past, prices in the local crude rubber market were steady yesterday, in spite of the general lack of large buying. Up-river fine was quoted at 77 cents a pound both for spots and afloats, while up-river coarse and upper Caucho ball were held at 53 cents. The plantation grades were higher than the Brazilians. First latex and smoked sheets were held at 84@84½ cents for spots, with arrivals during the remainder of this month and April held at 84 cents.

### Gray Goods Sell Ahead.

Further contract buying of printcloths at the higher levels reached a few days ago featured the local gray goods market yesterday. Sales of 38½-inch 60-48s were reported at 6½ cents for deliveries running all the way from June to October, while spots were let out at 6 9-16 cents. Spot business was put through on 38½-inch 64-60s at 7½ cents, with contracts selling at least to the end of the half year at an eighth less. Six cents was paid for 39-inch 56-44s, the deliveries running to September, with 6⅛ cents asked for spots. Sheetings and other coarse goods were not so active as they have been, but are firmly held at the advance. Closing spot printcloth prices follow:

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| 39-inch, | 80-80s | 10½c | 38½-inch, | 64-60s | 7½c |
| 39-inch, | 72-76s | 9½c | 38½-inch, | 64-56s | 7¼c |
| 39-inch, | 68-72s | 8½c | 38½-inch, | 60-52s | 6⅞c |
| 39-inch, | 56-64s | *6½c | 38½-inch, | 60-48s | 6½c |
| 38½-inch, | 64-64s | 7⅞c | 27-inch, | 64-60s | 5½c |

*Asked.

### Waste Material Dealers to Meet.

Plans were completed yesterday for the annual meeting and banquet of the National Association of Waste Material Dealers to be held next Wednesday at the Hotel Astor. Reports received by Secretary Charles M. Haskins indicated that the convention and banquet would be attended by the largest number of members and guests in the history of the organization. The convention will start at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning with an address by Louis Birkenstein, President of the association. At the banquet in the evening, the principal speakers will be James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, and E. C. Stokes, ex-Governor of New Jersey. Meetings of the affiliated organizations, including the Scrap Rubber, Paper Stock, and Metal Divisions, will take place at the Astor next Tuesday.

### Coat Dresses Reported Active.

Reports from certain of the higher-priced costume houses tell of a steadily growing demand for satin coat dresses, both in black and in white. Some of the most attractive models are made with pleated straight-line skirts, long sleeves, and deep collars of the sailor type. Taffeta dresses for afternoon wear are reported in better demand, with the various crêpe garments of this kind also good. In addition to black and white, light gray, flesh, terra cotta, green, and navy are favored shades. Some black and white checks are also being sold.

### Say Sport Stuff Is Overdone.

More than one buyer has been heard to remark lately that the vogue for sports garments has been carried too far. As a result the demand for them, especially the higher-priced ones, is not so active as it was earlier in the season. According to certain men recently back from Palm Beach, no sports garments are now being worn there after luncheon, unless the wearer is really intending to indulge in some kind of athletic diversion. Early in the Winter, it was said yesterday, sports dresses and suits were used pretty much all day for lounging purposes, if nothing more strenuous. Natty black satin suits or coat dresses are said now to be supplanting them for afternoon wear, and this is being reflected in current purchases here.

### Furs to be Shown March 21.

The furs to be sold at the New York fur auction, beginning March 26, will be placed on show for the inspection of buyers on and after March 21. Buyers may examine the collection from that day up to and through the sale period. Prompt day for the next sale has been set for April 16, and the usual discount of 1 per cent. of the purchase price will be allowed on goods cleared before that time. Owing to the fact that the amount of furs to be offered is the largest ever gathered for the New York sale, the attendance of buyers is expected to break previous records.

### May Aid Jewelry Exports.

A movement, sponsored by the Good and Welfare Committee of the National Jewelers' Board of Trade, is on foot to co-operate with the Government in sending a special investigator to South America to study and report on that continent as a market for American jewelry, silverware, and similar products. A fund of $5,000 may be required to supplement the appropriation of the Government for that purpose, but before beginning a campaign to collect the money a sub-committee will interview various manufacturers to see how much the trade is interested in the project. This committee consists of M. L. Robbins, Chairman; A. G. Van Houten and M. L. Ernst of this city, O. W. Kohn of Newark, and C. E. Hancock of Providence.

### "Show Pieces" Not So Popular.

Yesterday a buyer for a Southern store was looking over the line of a local costume manufacturer who has a reputation for showing exquisite things for which excruciating prices are asked. A model came out with a neat little dress on, and when told that its price was $19.50, the buyer nearly fell in a faint. "I didn't think you made things so cheap as that," she said. "We never used to," replied the manufacturer, "but we have found that 'show pieces' do not pay the profits they formerly did. Further than this, we have found that many buyers no longer order gowns of that type, which, if they are sold at all by the average store, frequently have to be sold at less than cost."

# HOTEL MEN IN FIGHT ON THE OPTION BILL

## Organize Delegation of 800 in Many Lines of Business for Plea to Legislature.

## THEY GO TO ALBANY TODAY

### Buffalo, Rochester, and Other Cities to be Represented—Believe Measures a Menace.

Hotel and restaurant men of the city and State, awake to what they regard as a serious menace to their interest and that of the city in some of the measures now before the Legislature for restriction of sales of liquor, are going to Albany today in force to protest against the McNab-Carson remonstrance bill and incidentally also against the Hill-Wheeler bill for the prohibition referendum. Eight hundred men are going in two special trains from the Grand Central, the majority of whom are not hotel men or restaurateurs, but represent general business interests. A trainload will go from Buffalo and another from Rochester. There will be many individual protesters from other cities.

Of the three bills now before the Legislature, the hotel men of New York City at least favor the one supported by Senator Elon R. Brown increasing the license and reducing the number of saloons, except that they think the supertax of 5 per cent. on gross receipts of more than fifteen times the amount of the license imposes an excessive burden on larger places. The reason for this was stated frankly by Thomas D. Green, President of the City Hotel Men's Association, at a joint meeting of the Executive Committees of that organization and the Society of Restaurateurs held yesterday afternoon in the Cambridge Building.

"Undesirable conditions have grown up in a number of smaller cities rather than in New York," he said, "which need to be corrected. Senator Brown's measure, provided it is amended so that the licensing boards shall be bi-partisan, will make it possible to investigate the character of applicants for licenses and eliminate the disreputable element in the hotel and restaurant business. It promotes the cause of temperance, and not of prohibition.

"The Hill-Wheeler bill calls for a vote by Assembly districts, or smaller units outside of New York City, every two years at the request of 25 per cent. of the voters. That means that every two years every other issue would be colored and clouded by this one; it means that the value of our real estate, which is predicated on its earning capacity, will be hazarded every two years, for it won't be worth as much as a piece of property which is not always engaged in a life-or-death struggle. The Anti-Saloon League, which is backing this bill, doesn't want local option; it wants prohibition. It is using this as an entering wedge."

Objections against the McNab-Carson remonstrance bill, according to the hotel men and restaurateurs, are that "it denies the right of appeal and permits no stay of judgment; it places in the hands of paid agitators a weapon against which legitimate business would be helpless to protect itself; it substitutes the secret form of government by petition for rule by popular vote; it destroys property rights and infringes personal liberty without even a chance to be heard."

In the speeches by John J. Cavanagh, President of the Society of Restaurateurs; Mr. Green, Thomas Healy, Captain James Churchill, and Charles E. Gehring, there was much stress on the desire of the hotel and restaurant keepers to stay out of politics and emphasis on the fact that their business represented investments of $900,000,000 in New York City, and was one of the chief attractions in bringing visitors to town.

Some of them, indeed, spoke of the trouble that is caused now and then by the man who can't get a drink in his home town and is unduly affected by those he gets in New York. They all declared that the purpose of the two bodies was to keep up the standard of their business and keep out the undesirables, and that the McNab-Carson and Hill-Wheeler bills made no discrimination but were a blow at all hotel men and restaurant keepers who had to sell liquor to meet the popular demand.

### Accessories Move Slowly.

Some of the local dress houses that are showing sport garments with sunshades, sticks, or hats to match are not doing so well on the accessories as they thought they would. This is especially true in cases where the buying is done for stores that are highly departmentalized, and where, in buying a hat or a parasol with a dress, the dress buyer encroaches on the territory of the one who regularly has these things in charge. The best business on the accessories in question has come from high-class specialty shops, where, apparently, the buying lines are not so strictly drawn.

### Plaids Now in Leading Position.

Plaid designs are now the reigning favorites in the silk and dress goods trades. While the latest goods are made up into rather large plaid effects, the color combinations and treatment as a whole are of an attractive sort without emphasizing the design. The ascendency of the plaid idea, it was suggested by a manufacturer, is due in some measure to the fact that the style of garments now in vogue makes it rather difficult for the cutters to use striped patterns because of the trouble in matching. Some sellers believe that the popularity of plaids will last well into the Fall season.

**FOR OUT-OF-TOWN MERCHANTS.**

It is not always possible to come to New York to visit wholesalers. Merchants requiring goods should describe their needs in a prepaid day lettergram addressed to The New York Times. The next morning an advertisement will appear on the Business Page. Cost, 50c a line of six words. Replies may be sent to the merchant direct or to a box number in care of The Times.—Advt.

# TWO HELD AS SMUGGLERS.

## Seller and Tenenbaum, Diamond Cutters, Under Arrest.

Jacob Seller and Adolph Tenenbaum, members of the firm of Seller & Tenenbaum, diamond cutters, at 284 Pearl Street, were arrested late yesterday afternoon by Customs Agents Farley and Snedden, on the charge of being connected with the smuggling into this country, from England, of diamonds and other precious stones worth $150,000. They were arraigned before United States Commissioner Hitchcock, and held in $10,000 bail for examination this morning. Most of the gems were recovered.

Tenenbaum was a passenger on the Adriatic. He is charged with smuggling a set of diamonds worth $87,000 and other precious stones worth $14,000. He is also alleged to have been implicated in other plots to smuggle jewels in connection with Seller.

### War Aid by Century Theatre Club.

At the call of the President, Mrs. Grace Gayler Clark, the Century Theatre Club, composed of 500 women, has affiliated itself by unanimous vote with the National League for Women's Service, at 38 West Thirty-ninth Street. The women of the club pledge themselves to do anything they may be called upon to do, to be ready for any emergency, and to spare neither time nor energy to help this country in its need. They expect to provide funds for the purchase of necessary materials for their duties. The work will begin immediately, and will be done in co-operation with the Red Cross, where practicable.

# ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

ALEXANDRIA, Va.—Mrs. C. E. Bradley, millinery; York.

ALLENTOWN, Penn.—Hess Bros.; J. Diefenderfer, dress goods, silks; 41 Union Sq.

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Mack & Co.—C. J. Hutzel, cloaks, suits; Latham.

ATLANTA, Ga.—Enterprise Mfg. Co.; A. Wiseberg, wash goods; 1,182 B'way.

ATLANTA, Ga. — Davison, Paxon, Stokes Co.; J. L. Stokes, dry goods; 1,140 B'way.

ATLANTA, Ga.—McClure 5c and 10c Store; C. R. Routh, notions, furnishings; Prince George.

AUGUSTA, Ga.—P. F. Sheron & Co.; P. F. Sheron, hats; St. Denis.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; A. J. Bernard, cloaks; 18 West 35th.

BALTIMORE—J. E. Hurst & Co.; J. H. Wells, women's children's, infants' Fall coats; 11 East 31st.

BALTIMORE — Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; Miss B. M. Doyle, dress trimmings; Miss S. Rafalman, ladies' wear; Miss M. Street, ladies' wear; 220 5th Av.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—Hirsch Millinery Co.; A. Hirsch, silks, millinery, ribbons, ladies' neckwear; Imperial.

BOSTON, Jordan-Marsh Co.; F. A. Burdick, women's coats, skirts; Mr. Keefe, misses' coats; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; A. H. Shannon, silks, dress goods; P. D. Slocum, furs; J. J. Murphy, women's gloves, hosiery, knit underwear; 470 4th Av.

BOSTON, Mass.—Jordan-Marsh Co.; H. F. Torrey, sporting goods; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—R. H. Stearns Co.; C. W. Conklin, coats, suits, skirts; 200 5th Av.

BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; Miss H. B. Cobham, women's coats, suits; 470 4th Av.

BOSTON, Mass.—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; F. Phillips, ladies' coats; Mrs. Best, misses' costumes; Miss Nelson, misses' dresses; Miss Murphy, misses' serge, cotton dresses; Miss Peck, undermuslins, petticoats; Mr. King, machine-made dresses; Miss Horan, petticoats; Mr. Hunting, misses' coats; basement buyers, Miss McMillan, skirts; Miss Roche, dresses; Mr. Tobey, shoes; 116 West 32d.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Howland D. G. Co.; W. E. Tiffney, ready-to-wear; 404 4th Av.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Hens & Kelly Co.; C. E. Bassett, millinery; 31 Union Square.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—J. N. Adam & Co.; E. Karl, men's clothing, furn. goods; B. J. Muller, silks; L. J. Wagner, toys; B. C. Burlingame, linens; F. G. Brost, lighting fixtures; F. F. Brett, knit goods; A. L. Hess, infants', girls', juniors' wear; Miss M. E. Dooley, muslin underwear, waists, corsets; Miss L. Yaeckel, ribbons; 18 W. 35th.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—William Hengerer Co.; J. J. Connolly, men's furn. goods; 18 West 35th.

CHICAGO—J. Newman, Jr., misses' suits, waists, skirts; 470 4th Av.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Stix, Baer & Fuller D. G. Co.; Miss C. Hamm, wash dresses, catalogue; 1,140 Broadway.

CHICAGO—L. Klein, Inc.; Mr. Clausen, toys, sporting goods, go-carts; 31 Union Square.

CHICAGO—Carson, Pirie, Scott Co.; A. H. Holmes, furn. goods, hats; 404 4th Av.

CHICAGO—J. Jensen Co.; J. Jensen, sweaters; Wallick.

CHICAGO—J. M. Smyth Mdse. Co.; J. F. Metzner, notions, laces; 114 5th Av.

CHICAGO—Consolidated Millinery Co.; J. Wineberg, millinery; 621 B'way.

CHICAGO—Greene's; B. Greene, cloaks, suits, skirts; 1,133 Broadway.

CHICAGO—Sears, Roebuck & Co.; D. L. Atkinson, hosiery; H. M. Kelso, cotton goods; 115 5th Av.

CHICAGO—J. Rothschild & Co.; J. Rothschild, woolens; Breslin.

CHICAGO—Independent Drug Co.; A. R. Wolff, drugs, toilet goods; 1,133 B'way.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Charles A. Stevens & Bros.; S. Willard, tailor-made suits; Mr. Conklin, silk, cotton waists; 40 E. 22d.

CHICAGO—Montgomery Ward & Co.; J. H. Hawkins, knit goods, muslin underwear; 43 W. 23d.

CHICAGO—Boston Store; K. Trilling, clothing; 44 E. 23d.

CHICAGO—C. A. Stevens & Bro.; S. Willard, coats, suits, waists, dresses, (basement;) 40 E. 22d.

CINCINNATI—Crown Cravat Co.; A. Caspary, men's neckwear; Aberdeen.

CINCINNATI—Koch, Adler & Co.; J. M. Koch, piece goods; Wallick.

CINCINNATI, Ohio—The Fair Store; B. H. Sheaman, millinery; C. H. Kuhlman, toys, housefurn. goods; 23 E. 26th.

CLEVELAND, Ohio—William Taylor, Son & Co.; F. Hofmayer, representing; 470 4th Av.

CLEVELAND—Halle Bros. Co.; B. H. Sisholz, cloaks, suits; 220 5th Av.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—Union Clothing Co.; J. H. Roberts, men's hats; Hermitage.

DETROIT, Mich.—Newcomb-Endicott Co.; W. Bridge, basement, ready-to-wear; 200 5th Av.

DETROIT, Mich.—Crowley-Milner Co.; Miss A. G. Anderson, muslin underwear, children's wear; Mr. MacFarlane, women's, misses' ready-to-wear; Miss G. C. Jenssen, millinery; 116 West 32d.

DETROIT, Mich.—J.L. Hudson Co.; L. Brownhill, ready-to-wear, basement; J. Gross, men's, boys' clothing, basement; 354 4th Av.

DETROIT—Crowley-Milner Co.; L. Neubrick, toys, china; 116 W. 32d.

ERIE, Penn.—Erie D. G. Co.; C. O. Birkland, bargain basement; 432 4th Av.

FALL RIVER, Mass.—R. A. McWhirr Co.; J. E. Bannister, upholstery goods, carpets; 404 4th Av.

FORT WAYNE, Ind.—J. Stillman, waists, dresses; 72 Madison Av.

FORT WAYNE, Ind.—Tepper Bros.; J. Tepper, millinery, ready-to-wear; Latham.

HAMILTON, Ontario—T. C. Watkins; W. V. Sparling, ready-to-wear, infants' wear; 23 E. 26th.

HARRISBURG, Penn.—Bowman & Co.—Miss M. Dunlap, ready-to-wear; 1,270 Broadway.

HARTFORD, Conn.—G. Fox & Co.; J. E. Rourke, ready-to-wear; 353 4th Av.

HARTFORD, Conn.—G. Fox & Co.; F. Montel, toys, housefurn. goods; S. Misbaum, fancy goods; 353 4th Av.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Wise, Smith & Co.; I. Wise, Miss K. Mahoney, cloaks, suits, waists; 404 4th Av.; F. L. Warren, housefurn.; 105 Grand; Navarre.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Wise-Smith Co.; Mr. Breen, laces, embroideries, neckwear, ribbons; 1,239 B'way.

HARTFORD, Conn.—G. Fox & Co.; Mr. Solomon, Miss Buckley, millinery; 353 4th Av.

HOLYOKE, Mass.—McAuslan & Wakelin Co.; J. H. Wakelin, silks; Miss H. Cray, ladies' wear; Navarre.

HOUSTON, Texas—W. C. Munn Co.; H. M. Garrett, general mdse.; H. E. Fowler, dry goods; 1,150 Broadway; Somerset.

HOUSTON, Texas—W. C. Munn & Co.; J. H. Hill, general mdse.; 1,150 B'way.

ITHACA, N. Y.—Rothschild Brothers; I. Rothschild, dry goods; Imperial.

KANSAS CITY—Jones Store Co.; J. F. Rummel, men's furn. goods; 23 E. 26th.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—G. Bernheimer Bros. & Co.; L. J. Schiff, women's coats; 7 West 22d.

KEOKUK, Iowa—Justice & Hoar; G. Wolf, jobs coats, suits; 1,133 Broadway.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—Myer Bowman Hat Co.; E. L. Bowman, hats; Albert.

LEXINGTON, Ky.—Wolf, Wile & Co.; Miss C. Brown, dressmaking supplies; 116 West 32d.

LOWELL, Mass.—J. L. Chalifoux Co.; B. W. Montague, domestics, rugs; 1,239 Broadway; Hermitage.

MINNEAPOLIS—Dayton Co.; J. H. Karageshion, Oriental rugs; 1,170 B'way.

MONTREAL, Canada—"Almy's"; Mr. Monroe, representing; 230 5th Av.

MONTREAL, Can.—Debenhaim's; F. X. de Grandpre, millinery; Broztel.

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Castner, Knott D. G. Co.; S. Lehman, millinery; 23 E. 26th.

NAUGATUCK, Conn.—M. Friedman, dry goods; Breslin.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Gamble-Desmond Co.; Martin H. Reynolds, rugs, upholstery goods; 470 4th Av.

NOGALES, Ariz.—M. Karam Sons Co.; M. Karam, dry goods; 212 5th Av.; Albert.

NORWICH, Conn.—Porteous & Mitchell Co.; W. T. Rogers, boys' clothing; 432 4th Av.

OAKLAND, Cal.—Kahn Bros.; D. Magee, domestics, dress goods; 377 Broadway; Longacre.

OAKLAND, Cal.—S. S. Kahn Co.; S. S. Kahn, coats, suits, waists, dresses; 116 West 32d.

PHILADELPHIA—Greenbaum Bros. & Co.; S. Greenbaum, cotton piece goods; 200 5th Av.

PHILADELPHIA — N. Snellenburg & Co.; Miss H. Darmstaedter, jewelry; Miss A. M. Day, laces, hdkfs., ladies' neckwear; 1,261 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA—John Wanamaker; Miss M. McMahon, misses' coats, suits; Broadway and 10th.

PHILADELPHIA—Lit Bros.; E. L. Perrett, bathing suits; 1,261 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Bros.; Mrs. M. Garretson, millinery; D. S. Scott, furn. goods; B. F. Montague, gloves; Miss A. Guggenheim, umbrellas; B'way and 32d.

PHILADELPHIA—C. S. Tanguay & Co.; C. S. Tanguay, suitings; Imperial.

PHILADELPHIA—Lit Brothers; Miss R. Stein, infants' wear; 1,261 Broadway.

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PITTSBURGH—J. Horne Co.; C. Meyers, women's, misses' ready-to-wear; Miss Halpin, Miss Burke, dresses; 470 4th Av.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; M. E. Behr, millinery, basement; Miss M. Osborne, ready-to-wear; 116 West 32d.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann Dept. Store; M. Lipman, silks; H. Heyman, misses', children's coats, suits; 1,261 Broadway.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; S. Simon, jewelry, leather goods, notions, stationery; 116 W. 32d.

PITTSBURGH—Pittsburgh D. G. Co.; C. Meister, jewelry; 43 Leonard; Herald Square.

PITTSBURGH—Berkman Bros.; J. Berkman, cloaks, suits; Imperial.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; B. F. Whitehead, men's clothing; 116 W. 32d.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; Miss M. Osborne, suits; 116 West 32d.

POTTSVILLE, Penn. — Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart; B. N. Eckenrode, furn. goods, hosiery, gloves; 230 5th Av.; Herald Square.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Manufacturers' Outlet Co.; D. Leand, pictures; 116 W. 32d.

PROVIDENCE—Dimond Co.; S. M. Robinson, cloaks, suits, skirts; Broztell.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Callender, McAuslan & Troup Co.; E. H. Tiffany, notions, jewelry, leather goods; 230 5th Av.

RICHMOND, Va.—Cohen Co.; L. B. Hyslop, linens; 1,150 Broadway.

RICHMOND, Va.—Fourgureon, Temple & Co.; Miss A. Smith, millinery; Marlborough.

RICHMOND, Va.—Richmond D. G. Co.; W. Russell, notions, men's furn. goods; 43 Leonard.

ROANOKE, Va.—Hancock D. G. Co.; Mrs. I. V. Driscoll, ready-to-wear; 1,150 B'way.

ROANOKE, Va.—E. Schlossberg, ladies' ready-to-wear; 39 West 32d.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co.; C. C. Loois, gloves; M. P. Lasear, knit goods; 482 4th Av.

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y.—W. C. Leonard & Co.; R. B. Leonard, men's wear, housefurn. goods; 404 4th Av.; Continental.

SAVANNAH, Ga.—L. Mohr & Sons; G. L. Mohr, notions, hosiery, furn. goods; 395 Broadway.

SCRANTON, Penn.—Scranton D. G. Co.; W. J. Martin, men's furn. goods; 72 Madison Av.

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—Brandon, Durrell Co.; E. Hagey, silks, dress goods; trimmings; M. T. Kirschmeyer, ready-to-wear; York.

ST. JOSEPH—Wheeler & Motter Merc. Co.; T. J. Beaumont, dress goods; 320 Broadway.

ST. LOUIS—Rice-Stix D. G. Co.; W. V. Eaton, shirtings, shirts, overalls; 377 B'way.

ST. LOUIS—Ely & Walker D. G. Co.; G. F. Newhard, gloves, hosiery, knit goods; 395 Broadway.

ST. LOUIS—Trorlicht Duncker Carpet Co.; H. A. Trorlicht, carpets; 11 East 17th.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Dey Bros. & Co.; J. A. Russell, cloaks and suits, waists; 220 5th Av.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Hunter, Tuppen Co.; L. O'Connor, jewelry, leather goods; Grand.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Neal & Hyde; J. I. H. Wright, white goods; 72 Leonard.

TROY, N. Y.—Wm. H. Frear Co.; W. J. Gillis, ribbons, neckwear; Cumberland.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—King's Palace; Miss M. Kinder, misses', children's, infants' wear, corsets, muslin underwear; H. King, ready-to-wear; Cumberland.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—"Palais Royal"; Miss M. Dell, millinery; 220 5th Av.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop; Miss G. L. Carroll, coats, suits, skirts; Mrs. M. Johnson, women's hosiery, knit underwear; G. B. White, shoes; 334 4th Av.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop; F. E. Mack, domestics, linens; J. M. Buzzell, dress goods, linings; H. E. Huntsberry, men's clothing; J. O. Moque, rugs, bedding, furniture; Miss L. McGill, laces, embroideries, ribbons, veilings; Miss S. Eber, millinery; Miss D. Collins, women's neckwear, collars, cuffs, ruchings; 334 4th Av.

WATERBURY—Waterbury D. G. Co.; H. Franken, ready-to-wear; 72 Madison Av.

WATERLOO, Iowa—Wilhelm's; J. Wilhelm, ready-to-wear; Gregorian.

WHEELING, W. Va.—John S. Naylor Co.; H. L. Henderson, rugs; 101 Franklin.

WILMINGTON, Del.—W. P. Jorde & Co.; W. P. Jorde, general merchandise; Breslin.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.—Kann's; Mr. Kann, ladies' ready-to-wear; 39 West 32d.

WORCESTER, Mass.—Barnard-Sumner-Putnam Co.; R. A. Illesly, notions, art goods; 404 4th Av.; Gregorian.

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## MANY RATES TOO LOW.

### Commerce Commission Proposes Solution of Intermountain Case.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has placed before all railroads concerned proposals looking to the permanent solution of the intermountain rate cases. The plan provides for the abolition of preferential rates in existence for many years on many articles of westbound transcontinental freight to Pacific Coast ports.

Existing rates on a wide range of commodities from Eastern cities to Pacific Coast ports are found unreasonably low, and adjustment would be effected under the proposed plan by raising through rates and prescribing proportional rates to intermediate points.

Present through rates on a long list of other articles, including brass, bronze, or copper goods, electrical goods, certain iron products, pulp wood, lumber, wheat, rice, tea, and tobacco, are found to be reasonable, and adjustment of rates to intermediate points would be made by reducing the present rates where they exceed through rates.

The railroads have until April 2 to submit proposed changes in the plan. The case will be argued before the commission April 3 and 4, and will then be taken under consideration for final decision.

Tentative findings reached after long and painstaking investigation include the following:

"Existing water competition is found to be a negligible factor in affecting the rates by rail between Atlantic and Pacific Coast terminals.

"Rates on commodities from Eastern territories to Pacific Coast terminals lower than the rates on like traffic to intermediate points are not justified under existing conditions.

"Present rates on specified commodities from all Eastern defined territories to Pacific Coast terminals are found not unreasonably low or not to have been induced by water competition.

"The rates to Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah, Wyoming, Idaho, Colorado, and Montana, as well as to California, Oregon, and Washington, should be adjusted at this time as fully as now can be determined."

## BUSINESS RECORDS

### BUSINESS TROUBLES.

**In Town.**

ISAAC SACHS, baker, 76 Cherry Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $5,402 and no assets.

THE ROTHSCHILD COMPANY, 25-cent stores, 43 Leonard Street, with stores at Camden and Trenton, N. J., show liabilities of $14,281 and assets of $10,360, consisting of stock, $8,535; fixtures, $1,805, and cash, $20.

GREATER NEW YORK FURNITURE COMPANY, 1,351 Third Avenue and 245 East Seventy-seventh Street, has filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $80,156 and assets of $5,790.

BECKIE SCHLITT.—Judge L. Hand has confirmed a composition of Beckie Schlitt, trading as the Manhattan Paper Box Company, 34 Goerck Street, with creditors at 20 cents on the dollar, cash.

HARVARD FILM CORPORATION.—At a meeting of creditors of the Harvard Film Corporation, 729 Seventh Avenue, held at the office of Magrane Coxe, referee in bankruptcy, in the Woolworth Building, J. Thorn Erickson was elected trustee. Liabilities are $28,916.

N. A. PAUL COMPANY.—At a meeting of creditors of N. A. Paul Company, held at the office of Magrane Coxe, referee in bankruptcy, in the Woolworth Building, Maurice P. Davidson was elected trustee.

NATHAN GINSBERG, dry goods dealer, 257 Rivington Street, has made an assignment to Archibald Palmer.

**Discharges in Bankruptcy.**

Judge L. Hand has granted discharges to these bankrupts:

WINIFRED T. McDONALD, restaurant, 63 to 67 West Thirty-eighth Street; liabilities, $42,763.

ORSECK BROTHERS, mineral waters, 56 Sheriff Street, and general store, Parkville, N. Y.; liabilities, $16,050.

MARTIN SESSLEN, furniture, 2,071 Third Avenue, with costs against objecting creditors.

SAMUEL BRAUN, wholesale flour, 226 Henry Street; liabilities, $24,258.

**Out of Town.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

ELIZABETH, N. J., March 13.—Creditors of Jacob Gordon, a contractor of 328 Westfield Avenue, today accepted a plan of settlement. Mr. Gordon had liabilities of $150,000, with assets listed as indefinite. The offers were 20 per cent. to general creditors, 20 per cent. to personal creditors, and 10 per cent. to indorsers of notes.

C. Ernest Cashmore, a jeweler and optician of 214 Broad Street, has filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition. Liabilities are $8,000 and assets $4,000.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 13.—Joseph Fontaine, proprietor of a garage and a carriage factory, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, showing total liabilities of $24,547 and assets of $14,200.

UTICA, N. Y., March 13.—Clara H. Papworth, Syracuse, filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $11,876 and no assets.

Matt Emigh of New Rochelle, and Martin J. Straub of Troy, composing Emigh & Straub, shirt manufacturers of Troy, are in bankruptcy, with liabilities of over $90,000 and assets of $75,000.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 13.—The Albany Equipment Corporation, against which a petition in bankruptcy was filed, has liabilities of $2,908 and nominal assets of $9,358. The bankrupt had a suit against the Pan-American Munition Company and others for an unfilled contract for $282,000.

CHICAGO, Ills., March 13.—Hobendel & Poisl, restaurant keepers at 24 West Jackson Boulevard, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $26,433 and assets of $5,537.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, March 13.—James F. Kavanaugh, Treasurer of the Whitcomb & Kavanaugh Company, contractors, 6 Beacon Street, which was petitioned into bankruptcy on Feb. 28 last, filed schedules this morning of liabilities and assets on behalf of the company.

The liabilities aggregate $78,782, of which $19,000 is secured and $59,732 unsecured. The assets are estimated at $46,659, of which $11,500 is represented in encumbered real estate, $97 in cash on hand, $1,025 in a mortgage on 50 Piece Avenue, Everett; $1,000 in machinery and tools, $14,098 in debts due on open accounts, $1,555 in 55 shares North Butte Mining Company, $5,000 in the Arsenal Square Trust Company, $11,310 deposited in banks, and $11,272 on assignment to Francis J. Carney. There are about 125 unsecured creditors.

### JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

**In New York County.**

(Amounts $100 and over.)

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| Abrahall, Francis H.—P. Roth | $220.71 |
| Bondy, Charles E.—H. H. Dreyer | 274.32 |
| Black, Henry S.—R. Schaefer | 221.56 |
| Bressette, George H.—A. Campbell | 1,419.11 |
| Bevans, Jesse L.—F. I. Schillinberg | 173.96 |
| Brown, John J.—James McCutcheon & Co. | 159.77 |
| Brown, Charles H.—T. Halpin | 1,641.38 |
| Cohen, Bertha—Hotel Shelbourne, Inc. | 103.20 |
| Cruso, Harry—J. D. Khodoff | 104.41 |
| Colaizzi, Arbel and Mary, admrs.—M. Robin | 146.90 |
| Combaruti, Amato—E. Gumazzo et al. | 160.11 |
| Davis, Laheney & Co.—F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Co. | 1,059.35 |
| Doremus, Harry H.—J. Mason | 610.93 |
| Dominik, P.—H. P. Feist | 161.91 |
| Fenichel, Louis—B. Lebovitz | 136.90 |
| Fortunoff, Samuel—Frank J. Lennon Co. | 378.36 |
| Franklin, Aaron—J. Friemann | 4,420.50 |
| Freeman, Walter K.—A. Rosenthal et al. | 6,774.60 |
| Flandreau, Walter H. and Louise J.—F. X. Fallon | 2,492.99 |
| Same—F. X. Fallon | 3,206.69 |
| Goldschmidt, Herman E.—D. Weinstock et al. | 108.99 |
| Goldmuntz, Max, Paul, and Joseph—M. Schiff | 2,130.35 |
| Gallup, Asa O.—Read Printing Co. | 642.04 |
| Gold, George J.—A. I. Tamor | 177.79 |
| Gross, Regina—W. J. Rapp | 317.51 |
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| Greenwich Hat Works—Standard Glue Co. | 291.92 |
| Hawes, Gilbert R.—United States Express Realty Co. | 308.77 |
| Hudson Navigation Co.—H. L. Joyce | 641.25 |
| Hoytreis Construction Co. and Isidor Reis—Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co. | 1,755.79 |
| Same—Same | 955.82 |
| Hasbrouck, Wm. N.—Morris & Co. | 284.15 |
| Hirsch, Oscar A.—I. N. Weber | 465.89 |
| Hoghland, J. Styles—J. E. Mavuus | 343.06 |
| Lenox Garage Co.—Gasoline Distributing Co., Inc. | 2,014.54 |
| London, Albert and Louis—G. W. Sheldon & Co. | 301.91 |
| Levey, Clarence D.—E. R. Dodge, (correction of March 12) | 916.30 |
| Laheney, Thomas F., and James E.—F. W. Devoe and C. T. Raynolds Co. | 1,052.68 |
| Muskat, Geo. F.—Aaron Buchsbaum Co. | 186.93 |
| McGee, Eugene F., and Albert F. McWilliams—A. C. Robertson | 403.93 |
| Montlock, Joseph—A. Philips | 164.65 |
| Machiz, Ida—L. G. Reed | 2,466.15 |
| Miles, Murial—S. Shalleck | 292.31 |
| Malwin Holding Co., Inc.—Hay-Walker Brick Co., Inc. | 1,017.91 |
| Miner, Geo. H.—John Wanamaker, N. Y. | 345.00 |
| Monolith Realty Co.—Elk County National Bank | 663.70 |
| Mackenzie School—Seamen, Lichtenstein & Co., Inc. | 226.99 |
| Martin, Sallie — Thomas Auto Service, Inc., costs | 108.70 |
| Mull, Walter B.—J. Reiche | 165.15 |
| Mutual Profit Realty Co.—J. Kahn | 941.61 |
| Polhemus, John A.—H. B. Maxey | 114.54 |
| Pagani, Henry G.—P. J. McKeon | 1,052.35 |
| Plitt, Moses—Consolidated Dental Mfg. Co | 101.78 |
| Poshkoff, Isreal—E. L. Kahn | 228.74 |
| Page, Robert L.—H. Held | 153.79 |
| Roasch, Bruno—W. Marks | 241.25 |
| Roberts, Jack—N. A. Keating | 139.64 |
| Rosenberg, Meyer—Dallon Realty Co., Inc | 123.81 |
| Reis, Isidor—Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co. | 922.69 |
| Roane, Oscar—Story and Clarke Piano Co | 137.41 |
| Ramhurst, Wm. T.—W. H. Mays | 281.11 |
| Snitzer, Jacob—L. Sader | 425.65 |
| Second Av. Amusement Co.—L. Rubin | 120.00 |
| Toll, Spencer E.—Rochester Dental Society | 140.04 |
| Universal Holdings & Leasing Co., Inc., and Samuel Horowitz—D. Levine | 15,001.13 |
| Valley Stream House & Home Co.—A. Logue | 1,001.84 |
| Vandergrift Engineering Co.—Electric Service Supply Co. | 184.62 |
| Vico Realty Co., Inc.—J. J. Kelly | 1,162.75 |
| Williams, Louis, and Samuel Cassirer—J. Raffel | 540.41 |
| Whitney, Frederick C.—J. N. Hoff | 774.73 |
| Whiteside, Harold A.—Consolidated Dental Mfg. Co. | 182.36 |

**In Bronx County.**

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| Brescher, Isaac, as gdn.—J. S. Rinschler | $103.42 |
| Balfe, Harry—F. Rose | 101.85 |
| Bache, George F.—Duross Co. | 183.16 |
| Chodosh, Sam—I. Rosenberg | 30.28 |
| Connell, James—F. Berger | 39.72 |
| Dodt, John—FitzHandrich & Sons | 184.31 |
| Di Menna & De Paola, Inc.—Elem Coal Co., Inc. | 304.35 |
| Gross, Samuel H.—H. Lewis | 76.31 |
| Letson, Clinton B.—Bloch-Morrison Co. | 19.04 |
| New Lots Const. Co., Inc.—A. Klorman | 119.06 |
| Peller, Leon—N. Y. Title & Mtg. Co. | 39.72 |
| Pinner, Sarah A., and Alfred Pinner—Mutual Life Ins. Co. of N. Y. | 2,139.64 |
| Piser, Abraham, Joseph Kalinsky, and John Hellman—H. G. McCound | 124.81 |
| Roth, Paul—E. Pfouffer | 41.62 |
| Rice, Clarence B.—R. Jacobs | 266.72 |
| Rose, Louis C.—W. J. Diamond | 92.88 |
| Scumaci, Savario—D. Mayer Brewing Co. | 2,111.35 |
| Walsh, Bridget—F. S. Quick et al. | 110.75 |
| Wasserman, Sol—A. Goldstein | 75.99 |

### SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and date that when judgment was filed.

**In New York County.**

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| Ofenloch, John H.—Gordon Tire and Rubber Co., Jan. 22, 1917 | $162.12 |
| Rome Brass-Copper Co.—P. Freeman et al., March 1, 1917 | 178.67 |
| Strauss, Jesse I., Percy S., and Herbert N., R. H. Macy & Co.—Manhattan & Queens Traction Co., Feb. 9, 1917 | 173.60 |
| Hecht, Ridolf—Dreicer & Co., Feb. 24, 1917 | 1,740.91 |
| Koch, Charles H.—J. T. O'Brien, Oct. 28, 1916 | 554.87 |
| A. L. Guidone & Son—J. Cirillo, Feb. 28, 1917 | 305.72 |
| Barber, Clarence L., Jr.—Citizens' Trust Co. of Utica, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1914 | 109.58 |
| Exclusive Features, Inc.—J. T. Rainer, June 30, 1915 | 729.69 |
| Williams, Elly H.—W. Muirhead, Jan. 5, 1903 | 164.31 |
| Vieau, Cass J.—Mountain Community, Inc., May 17, 1915 | 216.90 |
| Zittel, Frederick—J. Hermans, July 13, 1916 | 122.56 |
| Green, Yetta—B. Benjamin, May 20, 1913, reversed | 484.41 |
| Healy, Timothy, and John McAllister—A. C. Guntzer, Nov. 6, 1916, vacated | 5,183.89 |
| Greentree, Benjamin E.—City of N. Y., Sept. 29, 1915, vacated | 365.72 |
| Shidlovsky, Morris—New England Casualty Co., Jan. 22, 1917, vacated | 109.06 |
| Rosenwasser, Leo—M. T. C. Waterman, Dec. 24, 1913 | 319.81 |
| Same—Same, Oct. 7, 1913 | 928.78 |
| Nichols Copper Co.—J. Sheppard, May 11, 1916 | 4,157.68 |

**In Bronx County.**

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| A. L. Guidone & Son—J. Cirillo, Feb. 27, 1917 | $305.72 |
| Stuart, Alexander—H. W. Kiralfy, Nov. 18, 1915 | 61.28 |

### LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—EAST END SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY, Plaintiff, against WHEATLY HILLS LAND COMPANY and OTHERS, Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1917, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 28th day of March, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Arthur C. Sheridan, Auctioneer, the leasehold interest in premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot of land with the building and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded and containing as follows:

Commencing at the northwesterly corner of Fourteenth Street and Union Place, running thence westerly along the northerly side of Fourteenth St. one hundred and sixteen feet and ten inches to Lot Number Thirty-one on map of the Estate of Henry Spingler, deceased, made by William B. Doughty, City Surveyor, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York; thence northerly along the last-mentioned lot fifty-one feet, seven inches and one-half of an inch; thence easterly parallel to Fourteenth Street one hundred and sixteen feet, ten inches to Union Place; thence southerly along Union Place fifty-one feet, seven inches and one-half inch to the place of beginning.

Together with all fixtures, and articles of personal property attached to, or used in connection with the said premises, as well as the appurtenances and all the estate and rights of the said Wheatly Hills Land Company in and to said premises.

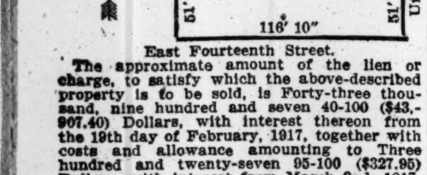
Together with all that certain indenture of lease and the leasehold estate thereby created and each and every renewal thereof, the said lease having been made and executed by Frederick T. Van Beuren, Emily A. V. B. Reynolds, Eleanor C. Wittman, Mary E. Mitchell, Louise Van Beuren Bond, John W. A. Davis and Cora Baker Rutherford to said William Crawford, bearing date the first day of September, 1909, which indenture of lease was recorded in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 25th day of October, 1909, in Section 3, Liber 153 of Conveyances, page 69.

Dated New York, March 6th, 1917.

S. WALTER KAUFMANN, Referee,
60 Wall St.,
Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

ALFRED H. CUMBERS, Attorney for Plaintiff, 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street numbers are 1 and 3 Union Square, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.



The approximate amount of the lien or charge, to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold, is Forty-three thousand, nine hundred and seven 40-100 ($43,907.40) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 19th day of February, 1917, together with costs and allowance amounting to Three hundred and twenty-seven 95-100 ($327.95) Dollars, with interest from March 2nd, 1917, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments and water rates, or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money or paid by the Referee, is Eight thousand four hundred and sixty-six ($8,466) Dollars and interest.

Dated, New York, March 6th, 1917.

S. WALTER KAUFMANN, Referee.

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF ASSETS and of final date for filing claims.—ATLANTIC BLAUGAS COMPANY.

To the Creditors, Stockholders and all other persons interested in Atlantic Blaugas Company:

Take notice that the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, has entered an order to show cause directing Atlantic Blaugas Company, its creditors, stockholders and all persons interested therein, to show cause at a Stated Term of the United States District Court, to be held on the 19th day of March, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at Court Room No. 1, in the Woolworth Building, New York City, why a bid made to the Receiver by B. E. Carr, dated February 26, 1917, should not be accepted, or such other sale had at such time and place, of all of the assets of said Company, of every kind and character, wherever situate, as to the Court may deem proper, and for the purpose of considering and making such other and further orders as may be necessary. The bid is on file in the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court, annexed to the petition of the Receiver, verified March 5th, 1917, and reference should be had to the bid for the full terms thereof. It in substance, however, provides that the bidder will pay:

1: All claims entitled to priority in full as determined by the Court.

2: To pay in cash 15 per cent. of the principal of the face amount of the claims, as finally allowed by this Court.

3: To pay in cash the expenses of administration of the Receiver.

4: To assume the valid obligations of the Receiver, and including all expenses of the transfer of the property and the assumption of pending litigation.

And all creditors or persons claiming to be creditors of the defendant, who have not heretofore filed their claims with the Receiver are hereby notified that they are required to file a verified proof of claim with the Receiver at his office, No. 25 Madison Avenue, New York City, on or before the 17th day of March, 1917, and that in the event that the said creditors do not file the said claims before said time, they will be precluded from participating in the distribution of the assets of the defendant Company.

Further information with respect to the property to be sold and the terms of such bid, can be had upon application to the Receiver at his office at the address above stated.

Dated March 6th, 1917.

ARTHUR S. BEVES,
Receiver, Atlantic Blaugas Company.

## CALENDARS AND DECISIONS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.
(<) This character means *versus* or *against*.

### FEDERAL.

**Supreme Court.**

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WASHINGTON, March 13.—Ernest Lowengrund of Philadelphia was admitted to practice.

481—The United States of America, appellant, v. United States Steel Corporation et al.—Argument continued.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

Call March 14: Nos. 481, 475, 685, 697, 733, 764, 401, 649, 683, (and 684,) 775, (and 776,) 545, 142, and 143.

**Southern District.**

CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS — Second Circuit—Coxe, Ward, Rogers, and Hough, JJ.—Room 433, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.
Marsh<Leseman.
Crescent Mfg<Wilson.
Re Zeis.
Re Monarch Acetylene Co.
Stallo<Wagner.
Miller Pasteurizing Co<Rich.
Angle<Bankers Surety.
D, L & W RR<Madden.
Levering<Paova Oil.
O K Tool Holder Co<J. H. Williams & Co

DISTRICT COURT—Augustus N. Hand, J.—Room 1, Woolworth Bldg., 12th Floor, at 10:30 A. M.—Equity.
Cohn<Pomper.
Am Thermos Bottle Co<Simplex Vac Mfg.
Barber<Reo Motor Car Co of NY, Inc.
Autopiano Co<Story & Clark Piano Co.

DISTRICT COURT—Learned Hand, J.—Room 8, Woolworth Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Equity calendar. Equitable Trust Co<Denver & Rio Grande RR.

DISTRICT COURT—Mayer, J.—Room 227, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Admiralty.
Swanson<Tug Genesee.
Dailey<SS Guvane.
Booth SS Line<Dalzell.
Penn RR<Tug Catherine Moran.
Walls<Tug A Kill.
Campbell<Tug Johnstown.
Creighton<L V Transp
Fitzpatrick<Newton Creek Tow Co.
Rise<Crescent Sand, &c, Co.
Donovan<NY C RR.
Cent Stock Yards Co<St'b't Pequonnoik.
Norwich & NY Prop Co<Tug Wonder.
Bowns-Pattison Co<Tug Eli B Conine.
Kuhnhold<Nav Gen Italiana.
Atkinson<Scully.
O'Brien<Overseas Shipping Co.
Pearce<Tug Coastwise.

DISTRICT COURT—Manton, J.—Room 337, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Jury calendar.
Quidwick-Windham Mfg Co<Converse.
MacDonald<Mandeville.
Rosenberg<Int M M Co, (2.)
Noetzle<Penn RR.
Brenner<same.
Czerweny<Mitchell.
Ianello<Beth Steel.
Wagner Spec Co<Manning, Maxwell & Moore.
Davidson Chem Co<Gillespie.
Trunk<Heavy Haul Co

**Eastern District.**

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield, J.—At 10:30 A. M., in Room 323, P. O. Building. Criminal: U S<Rosen & Wagner.
General motions at 2 P. M.:
Jacobson<SS Delagos.
O'Day<CNY.
Jamison<Yacht Winchester.
O'Brien Bros, Inc<Chelsea.
Mulvaney<King Paint Mfg Co.
Peterson<SS Scandinavic.
Dickson & Firth<SS Brisbane River, &c.
Hentschel<Steam Yacht Diana.
Re O'Brien Bros, Lim.
Brady<South Shore Traction Co.
Wakeman<Doubleday.
Sliva, &c<Yankaus.
Lukosewicz<Phila & Reading C & I Co.
Gusicki<Pine Hill Co.

DISTRICT COURT—Veeder, J.—Room 312, P. O. Bldg., Brooklyn, at 10:30 A. M.
Neville<462 Tons Egg Coal.
Leone<SS Boniface.
Ali<SS Bronwen.
Brown<SS Westmeath.
Ohsen<SS Inveran.
McAlonam<Lloyd Braziliero Co.
Hughes, Jr<Kings Co Iron Foundry.

### STATE.

**Court of Appeals.**

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DECISIONS.

Saltzsieder, aplt., v. Saltzsieder et al.—Motion for reargument denied, $10 costs.

McGrath, aplt., v. Carnegie Trust Co.—Motion to add to calendar and set down for argument granted and case set down for argument on the first Monday in May next.

Moore, plff., v. Vulcanite Portland Cement Co., aplt., Hedden, respt.—Order of Appellate Division reversed and that of Special Term affirmed, with costs to appellant in Appellate Division and in this court.

Tschirky v. Tschirky, aplt.—Order affirmed.

Halpern, aplt., v. Manhattan Av. Theatre Corp.—Order affirmed, with costs and question certified answered in the negative.

Re judicial settlement Union Trust Co., N. Y., as substituted trustee, Lentilhon et al., aplts., Lentilhon et al., respts.—Order as modified by the previous order of this court affirmed, with costs to respondents payable out of the estate, and to each special guardian filing brief on this appeal, payable out of the share of the infant represented by him.

Re compulsory judicial settlement Gilman, exr., aplt., Gilman, respt., order affirmed, with costs payable out of the estate.

Re judicial settlement account of Clarke, exr., Linson et al., aplts., Linson, respt.—Order of Appellate Division reversed and decree of Surrogate affirmed, with costs in the Appellate Division and in this court, on the dissenting opinion of Cochrane, J.

Van Tuyl, Jr., Supt. Banks, aplt., v. Schwab et al., re petition Green, Excise Comr., respt., for order revoking certificate 4874, Vordran, aplt.; re judicial settlement account Vanderroest, exr., respts.; Vanderroest et al., aplts.—Orders affirmed, with costs.

Re claim Boscarino and State Industrial Comn. v. Carfagno & Dragonette, Inc., Emp. & Mass. Bonding and Ins. Co., aplts.—Order reversed and claim remitted to the State Industrial Comn. for further consideration.

People, aplt., v. Clair.—Motion to add to calendar and set down for argument granted and case set down for argument on March 19, 1917.

Re supplementary proceedings Adams, judgment-creditor, respt., v. Cohen, judgment-debtor, aplt.—Motion to open default granted. Default opened upon payment of $10 costs and appeal set down for argument on March 19, 1917.

DAY CALENDAR.
Faigle<Bockroth.
Langstroth<Turner Cypress Lumber Co.
Marlott<Erie RR.
Montrose<Baggott.
Kenz<Bernheimer & Schwartz Pils Brew.
Jepson<Internl Ry Co.
Lockwood et al<Title Ins Co of NY.
Lobravico<CNY.

### NEW YORK COUNTY.

**Supreme Court.**

APPELLATE DIVISION—First Department—Clarke, Laughlin, Scott, Davis, and Shearn, JJ.—Enumerated motions.
Cuba Distilling Co<Rice.
Gisen<CNY.
Yanowitz<Geo W Travers Co.
Doscher<Vanderbilt.
People<Simmons.
Hines<Voskian.
Fleischer<Friob.
Zahler<Mann.
Goldberg<Mass B & I.
Todd<Brown.
Simers<Kellogg.
Donohue<Thompson-Starrett Co.
People<Shevitz.
Stand Scale, &c, Co<CNY.
Singer<H Diston & Sons.

APPELLATE TERM — First Department—Recess.

SPECIAL TERMS—Part I.—Delehanty, J.—At 10:15 A. M.

The calendar of Special Term, Part I., will hereafter be called by the Clerk at 10:15 A. M. for the purpose of noting defaults, adjournments, and motions ready for argument and to allow submission of motions where papers are complete. At 10:30 A. M. the motions not thus disposed of will be heard in their regular order by the Justice presiding.

Biagioli<Kemmerer.
Ambrozi<same.
Cordoni<same.
Same<McJessup Coal.
Ambrozi<same.
Awtry<Awtry.
Biagioli<McJessup Coal Co.
Re Westchester Av, (Robinson.)
Willis<Lamberth.
Walton<Walton.
Re Maltbie (U C Strs)
Robertson<Beer, Sonheimer & Co.
Berger<Cong Violin People, &c.
Foss<Friedman.
O'Brien<O'Brien.
Ottinger<Abell.
People, &c<Dellis.
Morris<Morris.
Victoria Bldg & Cont Co<O'Connor.
Zobel<same.
CNY<Schwartz.
CNY<Schwartz.
Cromarty Law Book Co<Phemister.
Imperial Woolen Co<F B O Clothing Co.
Farenholtz<Meinhausen.
Hyman<Klein.
Same<Freiberger.
Re Cook.
Re Waterbury Av.
Walker<Inslee.
Re Theiss.
Tagliavia<Maresca.
Messineo<Carpenter, (2.)
Duggan<Duggan.
Brophy<Glauber.
Re Elliott.
Train<Cohen.
Re Keller.
Amend<Halloway.
Smith<Herman.
Devine<Prichitt.
Forshay<Perley.
Horan<Com'l A Assn.
Grosholz<Oscar Daniels Co.
Re CNY, (Isham St.)
Leleu<Schlachetzki.
Polo<Am Metal Co.
Leonard<Dunham.
Tornello<D'Amico, (2.)
Polo<Am Metal Co.
Re Luttgen, (2.)
CNY<Wood.
Whilden & Hancock<Pac Coast Cas Co.
CNY<Wood.
Remawich<Penn Coal.
Cameron<Donnelly.
Re Sjoo.
Re Fish.
Re Schultz.
Re McGill.
Met Life Ins Co<Brookheim.
Re Oleson.
Schofield<Ronsheim.
Littman<Bresky.
N Y Prot Epis P S<Cohen.
Tompkins<Wiedersich.
Lee Forest<Kahn.
Hunt<Kreyer.
Vogel<Selene Rty Co.
Re Farmers Loan & Trust Co.
Cashin<N Y Cent RR.
Wanninger<Rogers.
F. Fittel & Sons, Inc<Brown Bros, Inc.
Peterson<Eighmie.
Schwall<Singer.
Brooks<Bloxham, (2.)
Phillips<Sonn Bros Co.
Goshen Sav Bank<Schlanger.
Bodenstein<Oppenheimer.
Dale<Dale.
Union Trust Co<Frankel.
Gonick<Levy.
Samson<Samson.
Richard<Wilson.
Neumann<Irvin.
Delson<Berardini.
Baese<McDowell.
Ferstanding<Beck, (2.)
Reemer<Frank Hillman Rty Co.
Cordusi<Pianisani.
Behar<Kerr.
CNY<L. Dusenbury Co
Rothfeld<Wash Hts Hospital.
Tighe<Tighe.
Salo<J. Rheinfrank & Co. (2.)
Re O'Byrne.
Re Britenstool.
Lute<Cent Hudson S B Co.
Carsello<Schleinger.
F. Hemingway, Inc<Marden, Orth & Hastings Co.
Greenberg<Kander.
Leaplaga<Gen Baking Co.
Meuser<Maxwell Motor Sales Co.
Gustafson<Otis Elev.
Gartenberg<Weisserman.
Johnson<Otis Elev Co.
Anteo<Friedman.
Rosen<Feinson.
D'Armand<O'Neill.
Re Lombardi.
Reemer<Frank Hillman Realty Co.
Herman & Herman<U S Mfg Expert Co.
La Sage<Perpall.
Tencoorn<Am. Bohemian Rty Co.
Polo<Am Metal Co.
Re Drake.
Elefante<Pisitz.
Baur<Bohnert.
Hoffman<B'way Ft Washington Co.
Times Sq Auto Co<Motor Car Equip Co.
Jones<Mooney.

PART II.—Hotchkiss, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Ex parte business.

PART III.—Greenbaum, J.—At 10:15 A. M.
Motions:
US Print & Lith Co<Powers, (2.)
Steuer<Hart.
Re East 180th St.
Sire<Sire.
Re Stiller, (203 Thompson St.)
Ledeatt<Ledeatt.
Scheininger<Scheininger.
Heath<Abbott Laboratories.
Same<Abbott.
Fort Masonry Co<Copeland.
Same<City R E Imp Corp.
Preferred cause:
John Mulstein Co<Di Menna Con Co.
General calendar:
Case on.
776 B'dway Bld Co<E W Martin Co.
Cox<C G Blake & Co.
Levine<Holbrook, C&R
Grill<Grill.
Madison Real Prop, &c, Co<Schwebel.
Calapai<Calapai.
Tarlovsky<Tarlovsky.
Legniti<Mechanics & Metals Natl Bank.
Pekarsky<Pekarsky.
Silberstein<Silberstein.
Howard<Howard.
Fraser<Fraser.
Dickey<Metro Picture.
Gross<Gross.
Trufanoff<Met Magazine.
Bartlett<Brown.
Petigor<Chester.
Case on.

PART IV.—Cohalan, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Case on.

PART V.—Recess.

PART VI.—Platzek, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Case on.

PARTS VII and VIII.—Adjourned for the term.

TRIAL TERMS—Part II.—Tierney, J.—At 10 A. M.
Title Guar & Trust<Gerosa.
Barter Realty<O'Rourke.
Internatl Battery Co<Westreich.
Kirschenbaum<Swoboda.
Levine<Universal Holding Co.
Howard<Am Nav Co.
Lefkowitz<Ernst Sobel & Co, Inc.
Edelman<Hardman Tire & Rubber Co.
Thalheim<Empire City Lumber.
Jacobs<Del Genovese.
Kouri<Bannerman.
Case on.

PART III.—Finch, J.—At 10 A. M.

All causes on this calendar are deemed ready and will be assigned to the various trial parts for trial as reached.

Inq—Brennan<Albert A Volk & Co.
Fink<Willetts.
Valleno<Clark.
Hamburger<Seidler.
Felder<Westcott Exp.
Gallagher<I & M Rty.
Dearie<Third Av RR.
Block<Bernstein.
Green<Int R T.
Lisewski<Del & Hud.
Field<P Dolger Brew.
Gasparini<Giellello.
Truscelli<Hotel Arthur
Brenner<Landsmann.
Dacunto<CNY.
Blum<John Randles.
McNamara<Hinckle.
Davis<Mersing.
Falletta<60 Wall St.
Duncan<Int R T.
Hoffman<Yeska.
Duffy<Beaver.
Cohen<Friedfeld.
Grant<Thorn.
Klein<Price.
Henning<Stillwell Co.
Carmody<Barret.
Barnes<Hilton.
Wagner<Schumacher.
Miller<Willigan.
Altieri<Consol Gas Co of NY.
Duchino<Dean.
Fabian<Finger.
Hyde<Gormully.
Lemcke<same.
Roccasalvo<Consol Gas Co of NY (2.)
Lown<Stand Gas Co of the CNY.
Manicoff<Elias.
Johnson<Cullom.
Fitzpatrick<Wittaker.
Snegaroff<NY Rys.
Stella<Matthewson.
Sebastian<Union Ry.
O'Connor<Wheeler.
Tomasich<Claridge Co.
Enright<Press Pub.
Fitzgerald<N Y Cent RR.
Gallant<N Y Ry.
Moore<Chase.
Geller<Dollard.
Wolf<Linch.
J Buckowski<Hexamer.
H Buckowski<same.
Morton<Gilman.
Bromirski<Erie RR.
Ida Feinberg<South Jersey Land Co.
Israel Feinberg<same.
Fischman<Int R T.
Gullette<Field.
Zagardo<Berkowitz.
Chugerman<Monday.
Coburn<Hetherington.
Ashby<De La Vergne Machine Co.
Boll<Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co.
Downes<N Y Rys.
Goldstein<Small.
Kelly<McGreevy.
Martinez<Hewlett.
Ahern<CNY.
M Newman<Union Ry of NYC.
T Newman<same.
Buellesbach<R Carvel Co, Inc, & CNY.
S Demek<Burns Bros.
F Demek<same.
Leahey<Thelen.
Ostin<Kurzman.
Schandler<Dwork.
Asmussen<Wanamaker.
Burns<F F Proctor's 58th St. Theatre Co., Inc.
Dvorin<N Y Rys.
Pryor<Rosenzweig.
Singer<Brenzinger.
Walsh<Mason-Seaman Transp Co.
C Asseau<Town Taxi Co, Inc, & Kelly.
E Asseau<same.
Mayer<Lahr.
R Vogel<Smith.
I Vogel<same.
Walentowicz<Lehigh Valley RR.
W Dule & H Dule<Cent RR of N J.
Wrobel<Lehigh & W.-B. Coal Co.
Shimsky<Cent RR of N J.
Smart<Chambers & County Estates Co.
Smith<Wheeler.
Fischer<Int R T.
Callaghan<L I RR.
Fagen<CNY.
Wallace<same.
Appel<Nassau El RR.
Condon<White Sewing Machine Co.
Raymond<N Y Rys.
Jones<L I RR.
Mazser<Man Holding.
Haberman<Asch.
Case on.

PART IV.—Dugro, J.—At 10 A. M.
Weinstein<Altmark.

PART V.—Ford, J.—At 10 A. M.
Schnur<Forbes.

PART VI.—Goff, J.—At 10 A. M.
Donnelly<Collins.

PART VII.—Gavegan, J.—At 10 A. M.
Margulies<Kocher.

PART VIII.—Whitaker, J.—At 10 A. M.
Case on.

PART IX.—Philbin, J.—At 10 A. M.
D Cohen<Bruder.
F Cohen<same.
G Cohen<same.
Jacob Cohen<same.
Jod Cohen<same.

PART X.—Ordway, J.—At 10 A. M.
Case on.

PART XI.—Mitchell, J.—At 10 A. M.
Marshall<Pneuman, (2)

PART XII.—Pendleton, J.—At 10 A. M.
McQuillen<Birch.

PART XIII.—No day calendar.

PART XIV.—Donnelly, J.—At 10 A. M.

Causes on this calendar will be deemed ready and sent to the various trial parts for trial in their order as reached.

Inq—Koslikow<Epstein.
Inq—Forbes & Co<Emerson Bldg Co.
Inq—Nicobelli<Freedman.
Silman<Morris.
Hunyady<Winter.
Clarke Cont Co.<CNY.
Haggin<Blair.
Stemmler, Jr<Bellows.
Prendergast<Warburg.
Benas<Bakalas.
Eureka Imp Tool Co<Topping.
Ellman<Howard.
Lorillard<Golde & Cohen.
Rodgers<CNY.
Hershkowitz<Wood.
Stiefel<Stiefel.
Horton<Pease.
Cooper & Evans Co<N Y Municipal Ry.
Bascom, Inc<Regan.
Morris<Chapman.
Homey<Zubow.
Shoyer<Bloomfield.
Bonnerwith<Braum.
Sugden<Repetti.
Hart & Hutchinson Co<T J Buckley Const.
Jackson<Bonwit.
Hadba<Balt & O RR.
Herman<Palmer.
Baum<Barthel.
Kraus<F Draz & Co.
Import Chem Co<J C Wiarda & Co.
Brunswick Rlty Co<Frankfort Gen Ins.
Gilsey<Lancaster.
Stanton<Colorado Rlty
Leerburger<Ebling Brewing Co.
Hahn<CNY.
Shalek<Eppig.
Bassman<H J Rich Dev Co.
Collins<Hudson.
Drillman<No British & Mercantile Ins.
Same<Agricul Ins Co of Watertown.
Singer<Taylor-Friedman Co.
Lanshein, Bauman & Co<Blue Ridge Furniture Co.
Smith<Hydraulic Oil Storage Co.
Mandel<Herrick Rlty.
Keith<Sussman.
NY, N H & H RR<CNY.
Mitchell<Kelly.
Landay Bros<Mandel.
Maiden Lane Realty Co<A J Robinson Co
Mieste<Com'l Union Assurance Co.
Steneck<Frohman.
Very<Simmons.
Case on.

PART XV.—Lehman, J.—At 10 A. M.
Case on.

PART XVI.—Giegerich, J.—At 10 A. M.
Clear.

PART XVII.—Newburger, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART XVII., (Feb. Term cont'd—Ford, J.—At 10 A. M. Held in Trial Term, Part V.
Hall<Kenny. Adjourned to March 19.

PART XVIII.—Not in session.

**Surrogates' Court.**

CHAMBERS—Cohalan, S.—At 10:30 A. M.—Wills for probate.
Ellen S Wade,
Margaret Butler,
Patrick Quinn,
Albert I Calais,
Mary Hanley,
Emma D Warner,
Sarah Barry,
Alice H Golding,
John McDermott,
Emilie Hoffman,
Harry Friedman,
Catherine Cairns.

TRIAL TERM—Fowler, S.—At 10:30 A. M.
Contested will—Rebecca Zinken, also known as Beckie Zinken.

**City Court.**

SPECIAL TERMS—Part I.—Allen, J.—At 10 A. M.—Litigated motions.
Hotel Monticello<Hartigan.
Simon<Frotman.
Cohen<Lefkowitz.
Voigt<West.
Aldus Const Co<Rathmell.
Abgatt<Weil.
Motor Boat Pub Co<Lamb Eng Co.
Gilman<Nat Mchdse Stamp Co.
Disbecker<Cadillac Hotel Co.
Simon<Joseph.
Dick<same.
Marine Mfg, &c, Co<Glen Islands Corp.
Lakaszuk<Busch.
Samanowitz<NY Rys.
Fleischer<Detroit Cadillac M C Co, (2.)
Victor<Kingsley.
Appel<Schussler.
Saxton<NY Rys.
Optekman<same.
Timpanoro<same.
Nathan<same.
Schneidman<same.
Schildhouse<same.
Russo<Smith.
Thompson<Meyer.
MacKlary<NY Life Ins, &c, Co.
Markman<451-55 Grand St Corp.
Garfield<Sarner.
Galland<Shubert Theatrical Co.
Ladzin<Sang.
Ike<Rosenthal.
Kelly<S B C Holding Corp.
Lazard<Karten.
Sall<Spero.
Sackel<Sternberg.
Veloshnie<Adler.
Steinberg<Spiegel.
Plymouth Rubber Co<Auto Wear Mfg Co.
Lipman<Strugatz.
Castelberg's Bee Hive Jewelry Co<Smith.
Dyer<J Y J Corp.

PART II.—Zeller, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.

TRIAL TERMS—Part I.—McAvoy, J.—At 9:45 A. M.
Rosenberg<Mayer.
Grief<Un Ry.
Natalie<Whitridge.
Bronis<Grafton L & P
Hutton<Cockroft.
Shapiro<Werner.
Deery<Raphael Tuck & Sons.
Shalka<Dinerstein.
O'Reilly<NY Rys.
Sheehy<Beattie.
Cohen<Deutsch.
Palumbo<Dock Cont.
Timpanora<same.
Montagno<Greenberg.
Schwartz<5 Av Coach.
Wilson<So Boulev RR.
Dembaum<Messing.
Seid<Int R T Co.
Corning<5 Av Coach.
Margolis<Smazinowitz.
Halpin<NY Tel Co.
Int R T Co<Williams.
Lynch<Colgate.
Chambers<Sterling Auto Mfg Co.
Walkowitz<Smazinowitz.
Schwartz<Safety H Co
Burkan<Taxier.
Levy<Lefferts.
Novick<Gurnell.
Richards<Parcel Post Del Co.
Blanche<Turney.
Pearlman<Stillman.
Infeld<Levine.
Freid<Smith.
Cook<Rubinger.
Schroff<Baumeister.
Lewis<Weinstock.
Pesson<Sackin.
Griffin<Minor.
Carlson<Steers.
Greenberg<March.
Rabinowitz<NY Rys.
Mekjian<same.
Farquharson<NY Rys.
Handwerke<Taylor.
Curzio<C RR of N J.
Case on.

SHORT CAUSE CALENDAR—Cases will be sent to Trial Term, Part II., for trial.
No day calendar.

PART II.—Smith, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

PART III.—Schmuck, J.—Commercial calendar at 10 A. M.
Kelly<Marinucci.
Chelsea Exch Bank<Manhattan Club.
Mutual Paper Co<Winkinson.
Maslow<Ageloff.
Fiat Motor Sales Co<Miller, Hicks & H.
Rockwell Glass Co<Broadwin.
Nassau Finance Co<Washington Rubber Prod Mfg Co.
Polotai<New Toy Mfg.
Silberberg<Natanson.
Clear.

PART IV.—O'Dwyer, C. J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART V.—Ransom, J.—At 10 A. M.—Clear.

PART VI.—Finelite, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART VII.—La Fetra, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART VIII.—Walsh, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

**Referees Appointed.**

SUPREME COURT—Delehanty, J.—Maynard<Reis — Frank J. Warburton. Schlussel<Schmitt — Joseph M. Callahan. Kountze<Bozzuffi Realty Co.—Edmund Hurley. Hotaling<Bozzuffi Realty Co.—Isidor Wasservogel.

**Receivers Appointed.**

SUPREME COURT — Hotchkiss, J.—William H. Morgan<Van Dome Realty Co.—John C. Hertle.

SUPREME COURT—Delehanty, J.—Marcus<W. Rashall Piano Co.—P. J. Dunn.

### BRONX COUNTY.

**Supreme Court.**

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Mullan, J.—At 10 A. M.—Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM—Mullan, J.—Motion calendar.
Re CNY (2.)
Hartman<Boeril.
Brinckman<Dorn.
Fredin<Haskin.
Quacker Ridge Ice Co<Fitzgerald.
Cohen<Terfos Const.
Landauer<Landauer.
McCabe<Cherey (2.)

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Mullan, J.
Schott<Schott.
Roth<Roth.
Webster<Webster.
Mounts<Mounts.
Roth<Roth.
Cooney<Cooney.
Werbin<CNY.
Morris<same (2.)
Manda<Hawes.

TRIAL TERMS—Part I. Guy, J.—Case on—Phelan<Phelan.
No day calendar.

PART II.—Mullan, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I.

PART III.—Erlanger, J.—Cases to be sent from Part I.
Cases on:
Chadwick<Buchols.
Shapiro<Benensen.

**Surrogate's Court.**

CHAMBERS—Schulz, S.—Ex parte business.
Motions:
Charles Lee Peacock,
Rosalie L Sterritt,
Elias Margulies,
Samuel G Dayton,
Cornelius Foley,
Mollie Goldberg.
Wills for probate:
Emma M K Hagelweide,
Thomas Everest,
Joseph L Bythewood,
Maskell E Fox,
Anna Grobl,
Esther Natkiel,
Catherine Patterson,
Margaret Eldridge.
Accountings:
William Rowe,
Edward Joseph Chauvet, also known as Joseph Edward Chauvet,
Charles Dreiwitz,
Mary Rehm,
Lawrence Katz,
Edwin Henry Collett.

TRIAL TERM—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

**County Court.**

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Gibbs, J.—Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Gibbs, J.
Radin<Franklin.
Schwartz<Hahn.
Beith<Stocklin.

TRIAL TERM—Gibbs, J.—No day calendar.

**Receiver Appointed.**

SUPREME COURT—Mullan, J.—Louis T. Lehmeyer<Granville Gibbons et al.—George Price.

### KINGS COUNTY.

**Supreme Court.**

APPELLATE DIVISION—First Department—Jenks, P. J.; Thomas, Stapleton, Rich, Blackmar, JJ.—Motion calendar at 1 P. M.—J P Mitchel, &c. J C Cropsey, &c, re W H Conley and others, &c, for examination of T P Mitchel, &c.

ENUMERATED DAY CALENDAR—
Koster<Westchester Brewing Co.
Re Brown.
People, &c<McDonald.
Dinkel, &c<Village of Tarrytown.
People<Waldt.
Same<Friend.
Quinn<Thatcher.
Brooklyn Bank<Metro Trust Co.
Crombie<O'Brien.
Fleischer<Fleischer.
Ravold<Hamm.
Bagdon<Phila & Rdg Coal Co.
Town of Brookhaven<Robinson.
Moore<Neville.
Hanke<NY Consl RR.
Pearson<Erie RR.

APPELLATE TERM—Second Department—Recess.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Aspinall, J.—Motions at 10 A. M.
Karn<Greiner.
Warner<Warner.
Halender<Halender.
Wasserbach<Wasserbach.
Rottenberg<Rudolph.
Sault<Sims.
Greve<Graf.
Birkett<Cuendet.
Kotler<B H RR Co.
Spevach<Spevach.
Goldenberg<Jacobson.
Enterprise Brewery<Esposito.
Pearl<Pearl.
Hunter<Leadbetter.
Ambrose<City.
Bristol<City.
Neureiter<same.
Nence<same.
Lindsey<Lindsey.
Re Stillwell Av.
Sheedy<Sheedy.
Starke<Starke.
Davis<McGill.
Re Mannix.
Wilson<Wilson.
Sayeg<Inter R T Co.
Woodruff<City.
Bernstein<Citizens Fire Ins Co.
Miller<Ginsberg.
Re Gravesend Neck Road.
Modern Barber Towel Supply Co<Cooper.
Bklyn Napkin Supply Co<same.
Gansevoort Beef & Prov Co<Homan.
Millea<Millea.
McCleave<NY Cons RR Co.
Re Avidon, (Kaplan.)
Miner<Rembt.
Barrett<Z T Piercy, Inc, (2.)
Riggs<Hedges.
Fleishman<Wallach, (2.)
Re W 37th St, (Knight.)
Amer Baptist Home Mission Soc<Hugo.
Union Trust Co<Rodegeretts.
Re Narrows Av, (Crescent Athletic Club.)
Gaden<Gaden, (2.)
Wet Wash Laundrymen's Prot Assn<Stahl.
Stahl<Wet Wash Laundrymen's Prot Assn.
Re Roche, (Oliva.)
L S E Co, Inc<Parkes.
Logan Mtg Corp<Lewis.
Sustick Bros<Moskowitz.

PART II.—Kapper, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.—Undefended divorces.
Kaastra,
Chellberg,
Allen,
Hudson,
Sprague,
Vesey,
Dintenfass,
Gehring.
Napolitano,
Nelson,
Zulauf,
Clark,
Payne,
Blank,
Hudson,
Doerfler.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Kelly, J.—At 10 A. M.
Edmonds<Edmonds.
Schneider<Crean.
Lawyers Title Co<Tuthill.
Monahan<Monahan.
Mahoney<Buckley.
Goldstein<Ohio Farmers' Ins Co.
Weingard<Weingard.
Zelinsky<Levy.
Levitt<Levitt.

The following cases, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon the call:

Glatzer<Glatzer.
Rubin<Brighton Hills Realty Co, Inc.
Wilson<Williamsburg Savings Bank.
Bakerman<CNY et al.
Rosing<same.
Morton<Taylor.
Ross<CNY et al.
Chertaff<Rosenblum.
Leonard<Leonard.
Mitchell<CNY et al.
Blatt<Wacke.
Eltoma Rty Co<Zitelli
L I Manure Exp Co<Jones.
Brown<Brown.
Rieder<Kevitz.
Square Lumber Co<Brody Const Co.

Highest number reached on the regular call, 3972.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Manning, J.; Part II., Cropsey, J.; Part IV., Van Siclen, J.; Part V., Kelby, J.; Part VI., Scudder, J.; Part VII., Garretson, J.
Huott<Wood.
Micelli<Ducker & CNY
Dale<Phinney.
Hess<Lawyers Mtg Co
Ring<S Isl Mid Ry.
Ewart<Nass RR.
Bolomey<same.
Penton<B H R R.
Levy<Blossom.
Goldberg<Nass RR.
Lewis<CNY.
Pharo<B H RR.
Stockinger<Scotille.
Brown<B H RR.
Bronrott<Inerfield.
Tardi<Nassau RR.
Facciola<same.
Altieri<Janson.
Elder<Franklin Trust Co Com &c.
Lynch<B H RR.
Scher<Ill Surety Co.
Da Silva, Levin<McCloskey et al.
Cartwright<Am Feeding Products Co.
Shanahan<Nass RR.
Agne<Diebold Safe & Lock Co.
Ahrens<Woulghmuth.
Von Braunsberg<Blumenthal.
Fiannacca<B H RR.
Pearsall<C I & G RR.
Linker<Jamison et al.
Morrison<B'klyn Un Gas Co.
Bree<Helbrecht.
Beedle<N Y Con RR.
Breuckner<Fulton.
Coutts<N Y Mu Ry.
Castle<Namm & Son.
Levine<Tartarsky.
Prusch<So B'klyn Ry.
Roberts<Wolf.
Gloster<Levin, Kronenberger & Co.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No causes will be set down for a day upon this call.

Morch<C I & B RR.
Rosbach<Rap Trans Sub Const Co.
Hunter<Nass RR.
Cressingham<C I & B RR.
Kramer<N Y Con RR.
Devine<Schwagerl.
Peterson<Simon.
Miller<Owens, Rosenberg.
Wilson<Greenwich Bk.
Reilly<B H R R.
Sitomer<Krohnberg.
Kane<Sperry & Beale Co.
Gittleman<Wolfman Cont'g Co.
Fischer<same.
Brady<B H R R.
Walker<same.
Marley<same.
Hopps<Biscay.
Schecter<Nass RR.
Gillooly<Steiner.
McIlroy<A. & S. B'klyn Bldg Co.
Brennan<Diamond.
Strafaci<Gen Ry Signal Co et al.
Barber<B'klyn & N River R R.
Peskin<Applebaum et al.
Henningsen<Rubel Brothers.
Underlighter<Gen Vehicle Co.
Vatter<B H R R.
O'Toole<Straus et al.
Kessler<Nass RR.
Anderson<same.
McNally<B H R R.
Greer<Harragan.
Doria<Hommel et al.
Cohen<CNY.
Strenger<NY Con RR.
Kinnier<Henry.
Young<Sachs et al.
Underlighter<Firuski.
Ambrose<Underpinning & Foundation Co.
Spatz<Breit.
Belting<C I & B RR.
Dollard<Gallagher.
Sembler<Doyle et al.
Brooks<Riedel.
Flanagan<Nassau RR.
Feehan<Draper.
Price<Bullard.
Nimiawaka<Wersen et al.
Rybak<same.
Fill<same.
Jurdyga<same.

Highest number reached on regular call, 8854.

**Surrogate's Court.**

CHAMBERS—Ketcham, S.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.
Wills of:
Aaron Warskowsky,
Elizabeth Montz,
Michael E Boylan,
Accounting of:
Louis P Gfroerer,
Harris P Wallis,
Mary Doran,
Salome Josenhaus,
Katie Walsh,
John Giles,
Sarah A Terrett,
Louis Erbe,
John Dill, Jr,
Joel Rachlin,
Augustin Fuller,
Jeremiah Reid,
George Bander,
Thomas B Penrose,
Barbara Pierson,
Hazeldine Hamilton.
Estates of:
Catherine Black,
Colligan infants,
Lucciano Marselli,
Abe Schneeweis,
Edward C Carter,
Mary Scranton.
Guardianship of:
George Samuels,
Conway infants.

**County Court.**

CIVIL CALENDAR—Part V., Fawcett, J.
Sellers<Carr.
Robertson<C I & B RR.
Gilman<Weinberg.
Hartje<Duncan.
Ryan<B H RR.
Bleisteft<same.
Grogan<same.
Cronin<Gunderson.
Chirinsky<Nas E RR.
O'Brien<Parson.
Kinsella<Manuel.
Borenstein<Mendelevitz.
Hoff<Nassau El RR.
Skrzypinski<Borden's Condensed Milk Co.
Curran<Gustner.

### WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

**Supreme Court.**

SPECIAL TERM—Platt, J.—At 10 A. M.
Jenney<Jenney.
Smith<NY, W & B Ry, (2.)
Hepburn<Long.

Highest number reached on call, 367.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Young, J. A.; Part II., Morschauser, J.; Part III., Keogh, J.—At 9:45 A. M.
Walter<Oakley.
Vredenburgh<O'Brien.
Schwartz<Taylor.
Buynofsky<Leh V RR
Fusco<NY, N H & H RR.
Myers<N Y C RR.
Levine<Gerardi.
Wilson<Taylor.
Rice<Union Ry.
Eskotter<Sens.
Rice<Union Ry.
Petitte<NYC RR Co.
Ebell<Treuer.
Nickerson<Brinberg.
Reilly<Pelham Sun Pub Co.
Lichovics<Yonkers RR
Pechulis<Phila & R Coal & Iron Co.
Schuster<Tompkins.
Capano<Eggleston.
Johnson<West St RR.
Stover<N Y C RR Co.
Romard<Cahill.
Bossert<McAllister SS Co.
Youngerman<Gruber.
Carpenter<Wright.
Borkhout<Int R T.
Fryer<same.
Shaw<Solomon (2).
Borden<Healy.
Hilke<Maxwell B. Mot
O'Connor<N Y C RR.

The following causes must be answered ready or marked over to another day:

Williams<Bauman.
Coleman<Mason & H.
Paolillo<Union Ry.
Tschantre<West El R.
Wunder<Herzberger.
Duffy<West St RR.
Pfoh<West Elec RR.
Sause<same.
Gooley<same.
Carroll<City of Yonk.
Quinn<Bugden.
Dupries<Yonkers RR.
Wilson<Simpson.
Lefkoff<Pitifsky.
Ford<Yonkers RR.
Bergin<West Elec RR
Earle<Earl.

Highest number reached on call, 477.

PART II.—Morschauser, J.—Calendar for Monday, March 19.
Short causes:
Lombardi<Lamb.
Gilmore<Reid.
Salz<Moretzky.
Jackman<Claussen.
Donadio<Brooks.
Searle<Hoyt.
Rosenzweig<Ludlam.
Cowles<Morse-Boulger
Contract calendar:
Babiere<De Pietro.
Caletrana Mutual Aid<Basile.
N Dains Sons Co<Kemp.

### QUEENS COUNTY.

**Supreme Court.**

TRIAL TERM—Jaycox, J.—At 10 A. M.—
Feder<John J Hearn Construction Co.
Johannes<Becker et al.
Yara<Cohen et al.
Soultice<same.
Bichovsky<Home Title Insurance Co of NY.
Kruger<Bernstein.
Miklasz<Penn RR.
McQuillin<Nas El RR
Hannon, an infant<Keiser et al.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day on this call.

Haviland<Tew.
Christmann<Freimann et al.
Murphy<B H RR et al
Kiefaber<Manhattan & Queens Trac Corp.
Martin<Thomas Crimmins Contracting Co.
Thiel<N Y & Q Co Ry.
Benn Rigel Const Sup Co, Inc<L I R R.
Richmond<L I R R.
Simis<same.

Highest number reached on the general calendar is 1576.

**County Court.**

TRIAL TERM.—Humphrey, J.—At 10 A. M.
Chmielewski<Korpanty.

Highest number reached on general calendar is 245.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

**Manhattan.**

BRADHURST AV, 6, e s, 55.1 ft n of 142d St, 22.5x56.6x22x59.2, foreclosure March 1, 1917; Winter Russell, referee, to Fannie M. Keppel, 63 East 74th St, March 12; attorney, Edw. R. Otheman, 31 Nassau St..$9,000

EAST END AV, 85, e s, 51.4 ft n of 83d St, 25.4x98, foreclosure; Rudolph A. Seligman, referee, to Louis H. Hellmann, 2,385 Grand Concourse, Bronx, mtg $11,000, March 13; attorney, H. H. Holbert, 1,511 3d Av....$1,000

LENOX AV, 646 and 648, e s, 74.11 ft s of 143d St, 50x85; Eugene L. Richards as trustee in bankruptcy of Adolf Mandel, bankrupt, to Samuel A. Singerman, 29 West 104th St, mtg $35,000, b. and s., Feb. 20; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$9,700

NORTHERN AV, s w corner of 181st St, 153.10x105x123x109; F. F. Freehold Estates, Inc., to Douglas Realty Co., 49 Liberty St, all liens, March 13; attorney, George Frick, 26 Liberty St....$1

RUTGERS ST, 32, w s, 25x84.7; the Chebra Talmud Torah D'Augustow of City of New York to Congregation of Judah and Israel, 32 Rutgers St, mtg $24,000, Feb. 28, all liens; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$28,000

THOMPSON ST, 91 and 93, w s, 125 ft n of Spring St, 50x100; Kath. F. Wadsworth, Middletown, Conn., to Theresa Kaun, 2,934 Eastern Boulevard, Throgg's Neck, Bronx, b. and s., March 12; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$100

SAME PROPERTY; Theresa Kaun to Ludwig Harburger, 30 West 88th St, mtg $28,000, March 12; attorney, same....$1

10TH AV, 544, e s, 74 ft n of 40th St, 24.8x100x irregular x90; William F. O'Brien, Yonkers, N. Y., et al., to Thomas J. O'Brien, Yonkers, N. Y., four-fifths part, all title, b. and s., all liens, Feb. 1; attorneys, Walsh, W. B. & Edie, 2 Hudson St, Yonkers, N. Y....$1

26TH ST, 117 East, n s, 185.9 ft w of Lexington Av, 14.3x98.9; Charles H. Brantingham et al., executors, to John H. Phillips, 213th St and Bolton Road, mtg $7,000, March 7; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$1

40TH ST, 242 East, s s, 147 ft w of 2d Av, 18x98.9; James C. Gregg to Rees & Rees, Inc., 232 East 40th St, mtg $9,000, b. and s. and c. a. g., Oct. 1, 1910; attorneys, McGregg & McGovern, 141 Broadway....$1

73D ST, 123 West, n s, 218.8 ft w of Columbus Av, 18.10x102.2; Walter C. Flanders and another, executors of Elizabeth S. Potter, to Frederick A. Clark, Cooperstown, N. Y., correction deed, March 7; attorneys, Ver Planck & Prince, 149 Broadway....$1

116TH ST, 327 East, n s, 300 ft e of 2d Av, 16.8x100.11, foreclosure; Frank I. Schrechter, referee, to William H. Jeffers, 161 Congress St, Jersey City, March 13; attorneys, Rose & Paskus, 128 Broadway....$7,000

118TH ST, 306 West, s s, 125 ft w of 8th Av, 25x100.11; Abraham H. Levy to Marie Kahrs, 1,493 Edgewater Road, Bronx, mtg $22,000, all liens, Jan. 24, 1916....$1

128TH ST, 222 East, s s, 255 ft e of 3d Av, 18.9x99.11; Hudson P. Rose Co. to Harry Whelan, 480 South Broadway, Yonkers, N. Y., mtg $3,000, March 8; attorney, Hudson P. Rose Co., 7 West 45th St....$1

175TH ST, 522 West, s s, 127 ft e of Audubon Av, 18x94.8, foreclosure March 7; James C. Graham, referee, to Margaret J. Becker, at Lincladen, Irvington-on-Hudson, N. Y., March 12; attorneys, Geller, R. & H., 22 Exchange Place....$6,000

**Bronx.**

BERRIAN ST, e s, 50 ft s of 178th St, 25x100; Bertha Rosner et al. to Emma Michaels, 253 West 122d St, mtg $4,000, May 9, 1916; attorney, S. Bitterman, 309 B'way....$100

CEDAR AV, e s, 259.7 ft n from land of Fordham Morris, 18.6x125; Grace A. Crosby, administratrix, to Jacob Hertzberg, 135 West 115th St, Nov. 23, 1916; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 B'way....$100

EASTERN BOULEVARD, w s, 100 ft n of Roberts Av, runs w 200 to Gainsborg Av x n 150x e 100x n 25x e 100x s 175; also Buhre Av, s w corner of Eastern Boulevard, 202.1 to Gainsborg Av x100x200x100; also Gainsborg Av, e s, 100 ft n of Buhre Av, runs n 100x e 86.6x s 50.1x e 100 to Becker Av x s 50.1x w 193.11; M. Hartley Dodge to Helen H. Jenkins, Norfolk, Conn., March 7; attorney, George Bingham, 233 B'way....$1

INTERIOR LOT, being Lot 19, Block 2,821, tax map; Andrew J. Forman to Tremont-Webster Building Co., 1,662 Boston Road, July 19, 1916; attorney, E. J. Krug, Jr., 150 Nassau St....$100

LONGFELLOW AV, s e s, at s w s of Rodman Place, 161.7x90.6x158.10x61.11; Desider Schoen to Rodman Impt. Co., Inc., 856 Westchester Av, mtg $4,000, April 26, 1916; attorney, Louis S. Harris, 570 East 161st St....$1

LOTS 41 to 46, Map of Wells vs. Storer et al.; Frank Gass, Inc., to Mary Maune, 151 Harmon St, Brooklyn, Jan. 15; attorney, Frank Gass, Inc., 2,215 Westchester Av.$100

LOTS 47 and 48, same map; same to same, Jan. 15; attorney, same....$1

MORRIS AV, e s, 310 ft n of 165th St, 20x95; Daniel H. Jackson to Emanuel Glauber, 885 West End Av, mtg $7,500, Feb. 6; attorney, M. D. Hoffman, 35 Nassau St....$1

SAXE AV, s w corner of Cornell Av, 25x100; John Ravens to Berthe Albrecht, Dec. 4, 1916; attorney, H. Cracauer, 271 B'way.. Omitted

ST. ANN'S AV, 344, e s, 25x90; Concrete Realty and Holding Corporation to Charles A. Laumeister, 420 East 161st St, mtg $10,000, Feb. 8; attorney, F. E. Yung, 391 East 149th St....$1

WEST ½ LOT 621, Map of Wakefield, 50x114; William M. Gammon to Willard S. Waite, 140 East 1st St, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., March 12; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$1

### MECHANICS' LIENS.

**Manhattan.**

LEWIS ST, 11; Isidor Greenstein against Lillie Levensohn, owner and contractor..$72

MADISON AV, 1,200; Samuel Glaser against Robert A. Chesebrough, owner; Harold R. Cloyd, contractor....$3,481

46TH ST, 31 West; Acme Wood Carpet Flooring Co. against Augustus A. Curtis, owner; Francis T. Casey, contractor....$74

170TH ST, 551 West; Julius Kramer against McMorrow Construction Co., owner and contractor....$35

### SATISFIED MECHANIC'S LIEN.

112TH ST, 70 and 72 East; Abraham Kramer et al against Augusta Shanback et al, Feb. 23, 1917....$1,150

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## THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

The Sons of the Revolution, owners of Fraunces Tavern, at the corner of Broad and Pearl Streets, have purchased from the heirs of A. Maynard Lyon, 101 and 103 Broad Street.

The property, which adjoins the tavern on the east, consists of a five-story loft building, occupying a plot 34.11 by 69.8 feet. With this addition the Sons of the Revolution control a plot fronting 77 feet on Broad Street and about 60 feet on Pearl Street.

The building just purchased is under lease at present, but at the expiration of the lease it will be remodeled and used as an addition to the tavern, which has long needed additional room, especially for its museum, which has received many gifts recently.

Varick D. Martin negotiated the sale, the property being held at $100,000.

**Isham Estate Sells on Gold Street.**

Cammann, Voorhees & Floyd sold 91 Gold Street, near Spruce Street, a five-story building on a lot 25 by 103, for the Charles H. Isham estate. This is the first sale of the property since 1867.

**$100,000 Manhattan-Bronx Trade.**

A deal, involving upper west side and Bronx properties valued at about $100,000, was closed yesterday by Frederick Brown, who sold to the Schaeffler estate the five-story apartment house at 609 West 177th Street, on a plot 50 by 90, near Wadsworth Avenue. The buyers acquired a week ago the adjoining similar apartment at 603 West 177th Street from Ennis & Sinnott.

In exchange, Mr. Brown took the block front on the north side of Grote Street, between Crotona and Beaumont Avenues, near 183d Street, fronting 114.8 on Grote Street, 74.6 on Crotona Avenue and 95.7 on Beaumont Avenue. A four-story residence is on the plot. Frank K. Schaeffler was the broker in the deal.

**Resale of Broadway Leasehold.**

The Coe Estate leasehold adjoining on the east and north the northeast corner of Broadway and Seventy-seventh Street, purchased recently by the newly formed 255 West Seventy-seventh Street Corporation, comprising Arthur E. Marsh, Nathan Pilot, and Jacob Doushkness, has just been resold as an investment to Otto W. Lowe.

The leasehold has nine years to run, and consists of a theatre, store, and loft building. Henry B. Mitchell represented the sellers.

**Buys Thompson Street Factory.**

The seven-story factory at 91 and 93 Thompson Street, 50 by 100, was sold by Katharine F. Wadsworth to Theresa Kann, who immediatedly resold it to Ludwig Harburger. It is between Spring and Prince Streets.

**Tenement Sale.**

The five-story tenement 306 West 118th Street, 25 by 100.11, has been sold by A. H. Levy through Marcus and Joseph Nasanowitz to a client of Eugene Sharum.

**Buyers for Private Dwelling.**

The five-story residence at 7 West Seventy-third Street, 20 by 102.2, has been purchased by M. J. Strauss from the estate of Mary Bell. It was held at $50,000.

The three-story dwelling at 107 East 114th Street, 16.8 by 100 has been sold by Shaw & Co., for Helen C. Dooley.

Van Vliet & Place, in conjunction with McCotter & Davis, sold the three-story and basement dwelling on a lot 17 by 80, at 34 Bethune Street.

**Bronx Sale.**

The two five-story flats at 998 and 1,000 Brook Avenue have been sold by the J. Romaine Brown Company to the 172 Building Company.

**Brooklyn.**

E. J. Hollahan, Inc., sold the one-family stucco house, 1,837 Seventy-sixth Street, Dyker Heights, for the F. & H. Mortgage Corporation, on a plot 22.6 by 100, to a client for occupancy.

**Long Island.**

Alfred C. Bedford, President of the Standard Oil Company, has increased his Long Island holdings at Locust Valley by purchasing twenty acres of rolling land, adjoining his estate. Cocks & Willets were the brokers.

Shields Brothers have sold for Ellen Flynn seven lots on the Jericho Turnpike at Huntington.

Christopher A. Bergor sold the apartment house, with stores, 137 Flushing Avenue, Long Island City, for Patrick Barry, to a New York City client.

L. H. Pink of Brooklyn purchased from I. Gudmundsen, the property 200 by 200 feet on the west side of Martha Avenue, 100 feet south of Remsen Street, Jamaica.

**New Jersey.**

Morgan Cowperthwaite, who recently purchased the old Duyckinck farms near Far Hills, N. J., has added to his holdings through the purchase of the adjoining Albertson farm, containing about 175 acres. This gives Mr. Cowperthwaite control of the entire ridge with over 500 acres. The old Duyckinck home is being remodeled and the farm will be restocked. F. W. Jones, Jr., was the broker in the transaction.

**Westchester.**

The Robert E. Farley Organization has sold a plot on the corner of Bay and Depew Streets, in the Nelson Estates section of Peekskill, to Alfred Ingrame.

**Private House Leases.**

Samuel H. Martin has leased the three-story dwelling at 166 West Sixty-fourth Street to James Gillooly.

The Real Estate Management Company has leased for Miss Anna M. Galbraith her dwelling at 862 West End Avenue to G. V. Sipp.

The Houghton Company has subleased for Susan F. McClellan the three-story dwelling at 153 West Ninety-fourth Street to William S. and Minnie Chipman.

**Lease for Automobile Factory.**

The vacant plot, 73 by 180, at the northwest corner of Avenue A and Fifty-sixth Street, has been leased by Robert W. Goelet to Locke & Co., manufacturers of automobile bodies, for twenty-one years, with renewals. The site will be improved with a four-story concrete building from plans by A. M. Gray, at a cost of about $100,000.

**Change in Building Zone Maps.**

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has adopted resolutions amending Section 22 of the area district maps, "so as to change from a business district to a residence district the area for 100 feet back on both sides of Twelfth Avenue, from the west side of Forty-fourth Street to the east side of Forty-eighth Street. Borough of Brooklyn," and amending Section 22 of the area district maps, "so as to change the area 100 feet back from both sides of Albemarle Road, from the east side of East Second Street to the west side of East Fifth Street, from a 'D' district to an 'E' district, Borough of Brooklyn."

**Commercial Leases.**

The Charles F. Noyes Company has leased for James A. Glover the store at 98 John Street, extending to Platt Street, to the Mallinckrodt Chemical Works. The lessee owns and occupies an eight-story building at 30 and 32 Platt Street.

New quarters for Ye Olde Dutch Tavern have been leased at 15 John Street for fifteen years from the Dennison Manufacturing Company. The café is now at 23 John Street. Extensive alterations will be made.

Sutton & Benjamin have leased the building at 146 Reade Street to Martin Kramer.

Rice & Hill have leased for a client to Jacob Brown the store at 1,693 Broadway, and to Catherine L. Coleman the parlor floor store at 155 West Forty-fourth Street.

Pease & Elliman leased for the Broadway-John Street Corporation, in conjunction with Ruland & Whiting, the entire store at 61 Nassau Street to Canelas & Bonderow for a long term of years at an aggregate rental of $70,000.

### RESULTS AT AUCTION.

AT 14 VESEY STREET.
By Joseph P. Day.

Pleasant Av, 331, w s, 57.1 ft s of 118th St, 18.6x75, three-story house; E. F. Rafel against E. F. Maurer et al.; S. W. Stern, attorney; due, $4,532.30; taxes, &c., $500; to the plaintiff for $4,500.

116th St, 322 East, s s, 275 ft e of 2d Av, 20x100.10, three-story house; withdrawn.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.
By Charles A. Berrian.

240th St, 414 East, s s, 150 ft e of Martha Av, 25x100, two-story frame dwelling; M. J. Becker against Jennie Braun et al.; Geller, R. & H., attorneys; due, $5,748.75; taxes, &c., $177.28; to the plaintiff for $5,000.

### THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

173d St, s e corner Eastburn Av, for a five-story brick tenement, 46.8x85.6; Taroof Construction Co., Charles B. Schlessinger, 1,679 Carter Av, President, owners; Moore & Landsiedel, 3d Av and 148th St, architects; cost, $50,000.

Beech Court, w s, 59 ft n of Bolton Av, for a two-story frame dwelling, 19x16; John Fruchillo, 627 Leland Av, owner; Henry Nordheim, 1,087 Tremont Av, architect; cost, $1,500.

**Alterations.**

Items under $5,000 omitted.

54th St, 212 to 216 East, to three one, three and five story factories and tenements; Jacob Hoffman Brewing Co. et al, premises, owners; E. D. Litchfield, 477 5th Av, architect; cost, $8,000.

9th St, 17 West, to a four-story dwelling; Davann Co., Inc., 41 Park Row, owner; Martire & Savignano, 18 East 41st St, architects; cost, $10,000.

Ittner Place, s s, from Park Av to Washington Av, to a four-story brick factory, 286.86x50; Tremont Silk Mills, Carl A. Jacobs, 35 Nassau St, President, owners; Buchman & Fox, 30 East 42d St, architects; cost, $60,000.

13th St, 1 and 3 East, to a five-story loft; R. G. Gregg estate, 287 Broadway, owner; E. A. Acker, 686 Academy St, architect; cost, $5,000.

### RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

**Manhattan.**

CHERRY ST, 172, n s, 25x91, March 12; George W. Bond, Jr., South Orange, N. J., to Fulton Trust Co. of New York, 149 Broadway, and another, trustees, due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..$8,000

JANE ST, n s, 155.4 ft w of Greenwich Av, 103.11x87.8, March 10; Jane Street Methodist Episcopal Church to New York Savings Bank, 81 8th Av, due and mtg as per bond, prior mtg $13,000; attorney, John A. Dutton, 80 Maiden Lane....$17,000

MONROE ST, 274, s w corner of Jackson St, 25x89.7, March 12; Israel and Louis Rotkowitz to Eastern District Savings Bank, 1,034 Gates Av, Brooklyn, 5 years; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway. $21,000

SAME PROPERTY, March 12; same owners to Jennie and Sarah Rotkowitz, respectively, at 104 East 81st St, and 12 East [illegible] St, due May 1, 1922, prior mtg $21,000; attorney, same....$7,000

RUTGERS ST, 32, w s, 25x84.7, Feb. 28; Congregation of Judah and Israel to the Chebra Talmud Torah D'Augustow, on the premises, 3 years; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway...$9,000

SAME PROPERTY, March 12; same to same, installments, $50 monthly, 6 p. c.; attorney, same....$1,000

ST. NICHOLAS AV, 171, w s, 55 ft s of 119th St, 31.8x123.7x27x107, March 12; Rose Bloch to Anna C. Brunie, 520 West 183d St, et al., trustees, 3 years; attorneys, Rabe & Keller, 258 Broadway....$20,000

THOMPSON ST, 91 and 93, w s, 125 ft n of Spring St, 50x100, March 12; Theresa Kaun to William D. Preston, trustee, Emerson Hotel, Baltimore, Md., due and interest as per bond; attorney, John M. Shedd, 43 Cedar St....$28,000

3D AV, 740, leasehold, March 12; George and Bernard F. McGovern, firm of McGovern Brothers, to George McGovern, 148 East 63d St, demand, 6 p. c.; attorney, David M. Neuburger, 74 Broadway, gold....$4,000

10TH AV, e s, 74 ft n of 40th St, 24.8x100x irregular x90, Feb. 1; Thomas J. O'Brien to William F. O'Brien, both of Yonkers, N. Y., 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Walsh, W., B. & Edie, 2 to 8 Hudson St, Yonkers, N. Y. $3,500

25TH ST, 237 East, n s, 25x98.9, March 13; Frederick Benzer to Anna Abenscheim and Lizzie Kellman, 325 East 18th St, 5 years; attorney, Emile A. Hassey, 302 Broadway. $11,000

34TH ST, 142 West, s s, 250 ft e of 7th Av, 25x98.9, March 9; Sarah W. Moit to James B. Potter, Plainfield, N. J., 3 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg $75,000; address 149 Broadway. $25,000

48TH ST, 318 to 322 East, s s, 225 ft e of 2d Av, 75x100.5, March 12; John F. Kuhn to Joseph L. Tighe, 211 West 107th, due June 12, 1917, 6 p. c., prior mtg $31,000; attorneys, Merrill, R. & T., 100 Broadway....$3,000

95TH ST, 126 East, s s, 199 ft e of Park Av, 18x100.8, March 13; John Ryan to Charles H. Phelps, executor, 412 West End Av, due May 1, 1922, 4½ p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$10,000

127TH ST, 70 East, s s, 165 ft w of Park Av, 25x99.11, March 12; Jacob Chaimowitz to Thomas Carroll, 16 East 129th St, 2 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, A. Fred Silverstone, 150 Nassau St....$4,000

**Bronx.**

ARTHUR AV, n e corner of 188th St, 80x81.8x95x82; Giuseppina Masuci to Angelina Sorio, 49 Oliver St, prior mtg $8,000, March 12, 5 years; attorney, Abraham Finelite, 150 Nassau St....$4,500

BERRIAN ST, e s, 50 ft s of 178th St, 25x100; Emma Michaels to Albert Mamlock, 230 West 103d St, prior mtg $4,000, March 7, installments, 6 p. c.; attorney, Samuel Bitterman, 309 Broadway....$500

FOREST AV, e s, 75 ft n of 166th St, 25x100; Herman Reesing to Edward Materne, Pocantico Hills, N. Y., prior mtg $3,000, March 12, due as per bond; attorney, William Kirk, 130 Fulton St....$1,500

JEROME AV, 2,437, w s, 19.5x100; James Sloyan to Franklin Savings Bank, 656 8th Av, March 13, 3 years; attorney, W. M. Powell, Jr., 7 Wall St....$2,000

### RECORDED LEASES.

With name and address of lessee.

**Manhattan.**

AVENUE A, 15, all; Stanton Estates, Inc, to Joseph Weisberger, 46 Avenue A, 10 years, from May 1, 1917....$3,400

CLIFF ST, 14, ground floor and basement; Campello Corporation to Thomas Henderson & Co., 10 years, from May 1, 1917; attorney, Jacob I. Berman, 346 Broadway....$1,500

PEARL ST, 402-404; also New Bowery, [illegible] basements; Martin T. Garvey to Buchalter-Friedman Co., Inc., 3 years, from May 1, 1916, 1 year renewal; attorney, William Abramson, 233 Broadway....$500

1ST AV, 2,287, store floor; Antonio Cappiello to Gennaro Pellegrino, 2,153 1st Av, 5 years, from March 1, 1917; attorney, Alfonso Sisca, 446 East 116th St....[illegible]

22D ST, s s, 137 ft e of 9th Av, 21.6x98.9, the land; Maria F. B. Moore to William C. Smillie, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 21 years, from Dec. 1, 1888, 21 years renewal, rerecorded from April 2, 1889; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$240

SAME PROPERTY, assn. lease; William C. Smillie to E. Crummey, both of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; attorney, same....$5,000

SAME PROPERTY, assn. lease; E. Crummey to Agnes E. Smillie, both of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; attorney, same....$5,000

56TH ST, 318 and 322 East, all; Jacob Prenowitz to I. & M. Realty Co., 34 East 13th St, 3 years, from Feb. 1, 1917....$3,500

83D ST, 309 to 315 West, n s, 100 ft w of West End Av, 66.8x100, all; Mack Realty Corporation to the Berkeley School, 72d St and West End Av, 20 10-12 years, from July 1, 1916; attorney, William H. Brown, 20 Nassau St....$3,500 to $6,250

137TH ST, 106 West, all; William F. McManus to William Hyman, 515 West 185th St, 5 years, from Nov. 1, 1916; attorneys, Greenburg & Levy, 55 Liberty St....$2,300

**Bronx.**

BROOK AV, 530, south store; Samuel B. Ogden to Michael Grossman, 539 East 149th St, 5 years, from March 1, 1917; attorney, E. Phillips, 309 Broadway....$840

### LIS PENDENS.

**Manhattan.**

CANAL ST, 264 and 266, and Walker St, 84; Hannah L. Du Bois against Arthur M. Du Bois et al., partition; attorney, G. W. Harper, Jr.

WATTS ST, s w corner of West Broadway, 22.2x35.9, and 6th Av, w s, 100.4 ft s of 50th St, 25x100; Louis Stirn against Max Stirn et al., amended partition; attorney, J. G. Snyder.

76TH ST, s s, 300 ft e of 2d Av, 25x102.2; William H. Morgan against Van Dome Realty Co., Inc., et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, J. F. Stier.

98TH ST, 150 East; M. Josephine Ely against Adam Moran et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Stewart & Shearer.

110TH ST, 158 East; Aaron de Cordova against Salvatore Isalli et al., amended foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Goldman, Heide & Unger.

126TH ST, 28 West; Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank against Louise G. Robinovitch et al., amended foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, R. & E. J. O'Gorman.

128TH ST, s s, 372.6 ft w of 3d Av, 18.9x99.11; Title Guarantee and Trust Co. against Cedar Construction Co., Inc., et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, H. Swain.

181ST ST, 112 West; Edward Ridley et al. against Margaret J. Ellis et al, amended foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Urquhart & Graham.

136TH ST, n s, 100 ft e of Brook Av, 54x100; Gussie Morgenstern against Luck Building Corporation et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, S. N. Tuckman.

**Bronx.**

LOCUST AV, w s, 25 ft s of 141st St, 75x100; Louis T. Lehmeyer against Granville Gibbons et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, M. S. Marden.

VYSE AV, w s, 375 ft s of Charlotte Place, 25x100; Frank Liomin against Theodore W. Spangenberg et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, P. E. Jackson.

### RECEIVERS' NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—HENRY H. HANSON, plaintiff, against ST. ANDREWS BAY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, defendant.—In Equity No. 14—100.

To the creditors of St. Andrews Bay Development Company:

Please take notice that the undersigned was appointed receiver of St. Andrews Bay Development Company by the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York on the 20th day of February, 1917, and that by order of the said Court entered on the day aforesaid you are directed, under penalty of losing all right to participate in the distribution, by the said Court or under its direction, of assets of the said corporation, to file with me at the address below stated on or before the 1st day of June, 1917, a statement of all sums due you by the said corporation on the date aforesaid, verified under oath, signed by you, setting forth the consideration for such claim, and whether any, and, if so, what security is held therefor.

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## PUBLIC NOTICES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Public notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held January 26, 1917, the following petition was received:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY, a New York corporation, owning and operating a street surface railroad in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, City of New York, hereby petitions for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a double track extension of its existing railroad in the Borough of Manhattan, in, upon, along and over the following described route:

Beginning at and connecting with the existing tracks of the Company in West 207th Street at or near its intersection with Amsterdam or Tenth Avenue, thence southerly upon and along said Amsterdam or Tenth Avenue to its intersection with Nagle Avenue, thence southwesterly upon and along Nagle Avenue to its intersection with Dyckman Street, thence northwesterly along Dyckman Street to the existing tracks of the New York Central Railroad Company at the foot of Dyckman Street.

The Company proposes to operate said extension by an overhead current of electricity, similar to that employed by the Company on its existing lines of railroad, except that it proposes to operate on Dyckman Street by an overhead current of electricity up to and including June 10, 1925, and thereafter to install an underground system of electricity on Dyckman Street and to operate thereby.

Dated: New York, January 11th, 1917.
UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY,
By EDWARD A. MAHER, Vice-President.
Attest: SHELTON E. MARTIN, Secretary.
(Corporate Seal)

State of New York, County of New York, ss. Edward A. Maher, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Vice-President of Union Railway Company of New York City, the petitioner herein, that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof and that the same is true of his own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief and as to those matters he believes it to be true.
EDWARD A. MAHER.

Sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1917.
CHARLES WITZEL,
Notary Public, Bronx County, New York; Certificate filed in N. Y. Co.; Bronx Co. No. 21; Bronx Reg. No. 704; N. Y. Co. No. 27; N. Y. Reg. No. 7058. Commission expires March 30, 1917;

and at the meeting of February 23, 1917, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The foregoing petition from the Union Railway Company of New York City, dated January 11, 1917, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 26, 1917;

Resolved, That in pursuance of law this Board sets Friday, the 23rd day of March, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the petition and these resolutions shall be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
New York, February 23, 1917.

## U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—At the suit of the United States demanding forfeiture thereof under the provisions of the Pure Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, Sec. 10, I have seized and hold 50 cases, each containing 48 packages of tomato pulp.

Notice is hereby given that the cause is appointed for trial at the U. S. Court and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on March 26, 1917, at the opening of court. All persons are notified then and there to appear and defend their interest, if any, in said goods. All not appearing will be defaulted.
Dated March 5, 1917.
THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.
H. SNOWDEN MARSHALL, U. S. Attorney.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—At the suit of the United States demanding forfeiture thereof under the provisions of the Pure Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, Sec. 10, I have seized and hold three boxes, each containing two five-gallon cans of scallops.

Notice is hereby given that the cause is appointed for trial at the U. S. Court and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on March 26, 1917, at the opening of court. All persons are notified then and there to appear and defend their interest, if any, in said goods. All not appearing will be defaulted.
Dated March 6, 1917.
THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.
H. SNOWDEN MARSHALL, U. S. Attorney.

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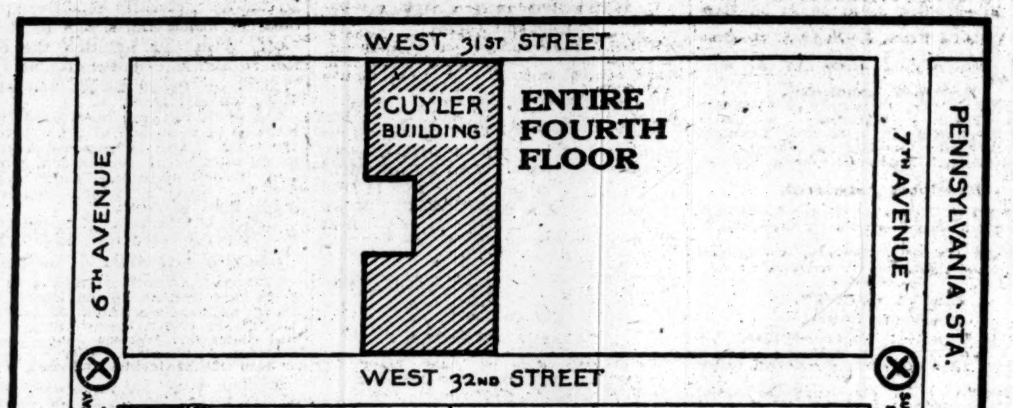

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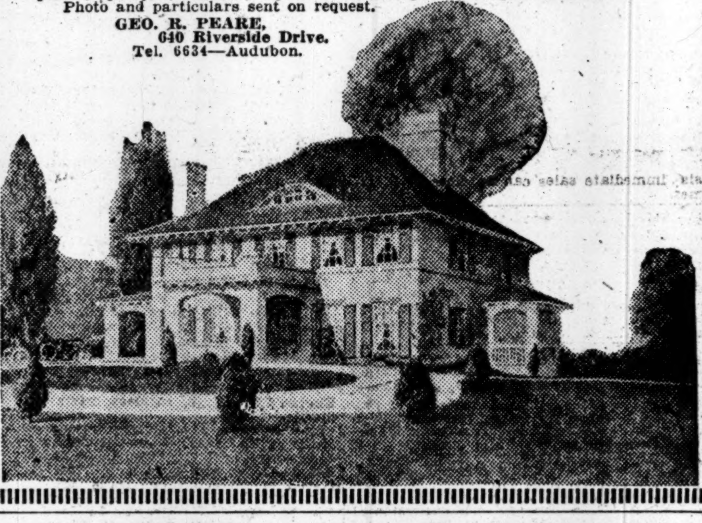

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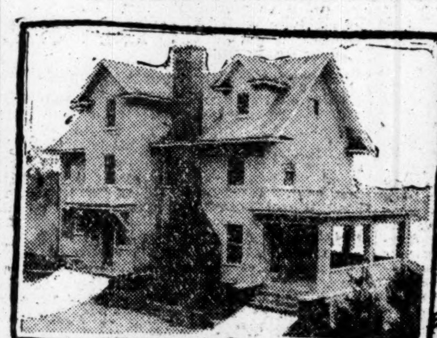

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## SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, Typist.—Four years' experience; good penman; accurate; $10. V 329 Times Downtown.

REFINED and educated young lady wants position at any light work, $8. Address Miss X., 302 Broadway, Room 1,409.

SECRETARY.—Refined young college woman; six years' experience; excellent references. R 130 Times.

SECRETARYSHIP. — Literary experience; handle correspondence; French, German; stenography, typewriting. T 95 Times.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young woman of exceptional ability, experienced in private secretarial work, desires position; recently from Detroit, where have had broad experience for past 8 years; references. V 80 Times.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY.—8 YEARS' BROKERAGE AND COMMERCIAL EXPERIENCE; INTERVIEW SOLICITED; $20. V 322 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

STENOGRAPHER.—Law and commercial; Christian; experienced in all secretarial and office duties; excellent references; salary $18. R 93 Times.

STENOGRAPHER. — Commercial, literary; excellent; experience; correspondence without dictation; $18. A., 1,997 7th Av.

STENOGRAPHER, Secretary.—Long, valuable experience; capable assuming responsibilities; $18. V 316 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 21, experienced, good worker, seeks good position; $15. Miss Jeanette, 863 Kelly St., city.

STENOGRAPHER.—Four years' experience; rapid worker; excellent references; $12. V 333 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Thoroughly experienced, good business training, intelligent worker. $15. V 345 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY. — Thoroughly experienced and capable; assume responsibilities; salary $18. V 347 Times.

STENOGRAPHER.—Thoroughly competent; familiar filing, all office details; salary $12. V 339 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, well educated, experienced all lines, desires position. V 306 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Capable and ambitious beginner; neat appearance; $8. V 309 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Christian; refined; six years' experience; $14. E. Brooks, 601 West 191st St.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR.—Polite, neat appearance; capable, intelligent worker. V 301 Times Downtown.

TYPIST, copyist, experienced, rapid, neat, accurate, needs work. V 312 Times Downtown.

WAITRESS.—Five years in present position; will do parlor work. R 120 Times.

### Employment Agencies.

HOUSEWORKERS, colored, neat girls, investigated references, wish places; other Southern help supplied. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, (Agency,) 314 West 59th. Phone Columbus 5022. Established 1890.

COOKS, waitresses, nurses, couples. Domestic Exchange, 324 Columbus Av., (75th St.) Schuyler 9136.

LADY, refined, seeks position as companion to lady; splendid housekeeper. Telephone Audubon 5205.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT.—Installs simplified systems, stopping leaks, giving daily statements of information required to intelligently develop business; uncertainty eliminated; business run like a bank. Fleming, 30 East 42d St. Phone Vanderbilt 6272.

ACCOUNTANT, C. P. A., audits, systems, financial reports, books opened, closed, written up; corporation work, profit and loss statements prepared; balance sheets; charges moderate. C. P. A., Room 761, 200 5th Av. 1611 Gramercy.

ACCOUNTANT.—Trial balances and audits $5 monthly, upward; books opened, closed, systematized, investigations, profit and loss statements, corporation work. Friedlander, 19 Cedar St. Telephone John 5655.

ACCOUNTANT, 23; 5 years' experience in mercantile field here and Latin America; thoroughly familiar with modern cost systems; salary to start $125 monthly. V 260 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, OFFICE MANAGER, (27;) executive and correspondent; ten years' experience; familiar especially with importing business; consider any commercial line. G 430 Times Annex.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened; systems; arrangements firms not employing bookkeepers; $2.50 weekly. 35 Nassau St., Room 1,303. Telephone Cortlandt 7958.

ACCOUNTANTS.—Spare time; books opened, written up, financial statements, monthly audits. S. & R., 17 Battery Place. Tel. 9191 Rector.

ACCOUNTANT.—Opens, closes, audits, systematizes books; charges moderate; personal service. W. H. Smith, 149 Broadway. Telephone 2141 Cortlandt.

ACCOUNTANT.—Open for position; executive or executive assistant; salary $6,000. V 293 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT. — Student wishes position where he will profit by experience. V 252 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT.—Columbia graduate; desires permanent position; junior accountant. V 42 Times.

ARE YOU LOOKING for a young man who has had between five and ten years' experience in MANUFACTURING COSTS AND GENERAL ACCOUNTING? One with first-class references and training, who can stand on his feet. Write for particulars. Box 317 Times, 2 Rector St.

ARTIST.—Sketcher with experience in photo-engraving house, A1 letterer, wants position in some art department. R 121 Times.

AUDITOR, (23;) alert and intelligent; academic training in accountancy; extensive practical experience in same capacity commercially; thoroughly dependable for position of responsibility. Reliable, V 261 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER.—Double entry; office manager; fluent correspondent; 15 years' experience corporation, controlling accounts, capable assuming responsibility; trial balance, statements; highest references; $25. V 275 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 24; thoroughly experienced, reliable, neat; financial statements; good correspondent; opportunity for advancement; permanent. T 356 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, (23,) high calibre, 6 years' experience, trial balances, controlling accounts, correspondent, excellent handwriting; salary $20. V 302 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, expert, capable office manager, 12 years' experience, employed at present, desires to make change. Address V 315 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, CASHIER, 20, experienced, thoroughly familiar with controlling accounts; salary $16. Jack Le Boss, 936 Kelly St.

BOOKKEEPER, (27;) thoroughly experienced; accurate, reliable; trial balance; moderate salary. V 294 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, (19,) High School of Commerce graduate; experienced and well recommended. V 299 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, office assistant, typist; long experience; excellent references; salary moderate. V 60 Times.

BOOKKEEPER ledger clerk, good penman, knowledge stenography, desires position; $18. V 311 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, (Assistant.) — Experienced ledger; shipping clerk; accurate. Abraham Gross, 746 5th St.

BOY wishes position with stock broker as runner; experience. Ward, 2,448 7th Av.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, (22,) wishes position; long experience; careful, competent, and economical driver; all repairs; reliable, well recommended; moderate salary. Hecht, 32 West 98th. Phone 7155 Riverside.

CHAUFFEUR.—Single; useful; very careful driver; do repairs; 8 years' experience; 2 years with last employer; absolutely sober, honest; city or country; best personal references. A. P. Carroll, 260 West 38th St.

CHAUFFEUR, English, (27,) wishes a position with private family; 7 years' experience; can furnish the best of reference. William Carr, care Reimund, 117 East 76th St., City.

CHAUFFEUR, single, (25,) wishes position with private family; four years with one family; best of references. George Williams, 1,820 Washington Av., Bronx.

CHAUFFEUR.—Wishes steady position, 12 years' experience; domestic, foreign machines; A1 mechanic; best references. Herman, 2,219 8th Av.

CHAUFFEUR.—Mechanic, 23, careful driver, desires position with private family; U. S. Government references. P. Falasca, 201 West 10th St. Phone 5798 Chel.

CHAUFFEUR.—Finnish, (28,) married, wishes position in private family; good references; at present employed. Sam Amundsen, 1,060 Madison Av.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, (33,) Renault, Mercedes, Benz, Delone, Fiat, many years' experience, wishes steady position. William, 490 Columbus Av.

CHAUFFEUR, single, (26,) expert driver of Buick, Chandler, Oldsmobile, Hudson, Chalmers, city or country. Domenic, 340 West 47th St.

CHAUFFEUR, Swede; permanent position; private; reference. Johnson, 773 Lexington Av., City.

CHAUFFEUR.—Mechanic; last six years with prominent gentleman; highly recommended. V 68 Times.

CHAUFFEUR-GARDENER.—Mechanic; life experience; private gentleman's place preferred; married. R 140 Times.

CHAUFFEUR. — Mechanic; single; excellent reference; $20 weekly; country preferred. R 141 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, single, good reference; private preferred. Corbett, 369 West 48th St.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, experienced, careful driver, wishes position. Lang, 250 East 62d.

CHEMIST.—Assistant, desires position with reliable firm; complete knowledge technical quantitative analysis; age 20 years. V 59 Times.

CLERK, SALESMAN, and all-around young man seeks position. A. B., 444 Times Downtown.

COST MAN.—Familiar with every detail of the work; long experience in manufacturing business; highest references. V 305 Times Downtown.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

CREDITS, Correspondent, Mail Order.—Young man, (25,) seven years accounting and auditing, writes good letters, strong memory, initiative, ability, $100-$125 monthly. R 138 Times.

DESIGNER, structural steel, reinforced concrete, technical graduate, 30, thorough building experience, desires engagement; now employed; references. V 264 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, machine designer, tool designer, specialized in automatic machinery, experienced in production work, desires to locate as chief draftsman or assistant to production of efficiency engineer. V 317 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, architectural design, wants position; 1 year's practical experience; graduate Pratt Institute, Brooklyn; best references; do lettering and tracing; 22; salary $12. R 142 Times.

DRAFTSMAN.—12 years drafting and designing general and special machinery. V 28 Times.

EXECUTIVE, proven ability, holding responsible position, college and legal training, 35 years, married, seeks new connection. V 212 Times Downtown.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER desires afternoon work. Z 232 Times Annex.

EXPERT RENTER, 33, married; furnished kitchenette apartments; fourth year large realty company; gilt edge references; $23 weekly; April 1. Address Energetic, 2,057 8th Av.

GARDENER, &c.—Situation wanted as gardener or superintendent; thoroughly understands gardening and farming, also farm machinery; nine years in present position; disengaged April 1. Address R. S., Box 52, East Greenwich, R. I.

GARDENER, Japanese, wishes position on private estate; expert in Japanese gardenmaking; all branches of horticultural work; highest references, character and ability. P 151 Times.

GENTLEMEN: I can work; satisfaction assured. You aren't sure of that? That's just it. Why don't you find out? J. B., 253 Hopkins St., Brooklyn.

INFORMATION.

Somewhere in this city is an advertising agency, newspaper, magazine, or trade paper looking for a man, (28,) 10 years' agency experience, almost all branches; well known; finished correspondent; department head; conscientious and intensive worker; with highest credentials; inside or outside position; will start moderately. R 132 Times.

IMPORTERS—EXPORTERS.

Do you need a capable executive in your office? Seven years' business experience, three years in China and Japan; thirty years old; college graduate; salary $1,500. Competent, R 150 Times Downtown.

LABORATORY ASSISTANT. — High school graduate wishes position in chemical or electrical laboratory. L. Seidensten, 1,481 Vyse Av.

LATIN AMERICA.

A resident of Caracas, Venezuela, desires to travel in South America representing export houses in any line; experienced and full knowledge of needs throughout Latin America; speaks Spanish and Italian fluently. V 346 Times Downtown.

MAN of wide business experience, commercial, real estate, insurance, retiring from present business, desires executive administrative or selling opportunity with manufacturing or mercantile establishment in New York or elsewhere; highest credentials as to character, standing, and ability. Willing to start at moderate salary. Address Willing, Room 514, World Building.

NEWSPAPER MAN.

Trained newspaper man, twelve years with dailies, would connect with weekly or monthly publication, or live business firm wanting clear, accurate, forceful, and trustworthy writer; with present employer five years; has reached limit of probable advancement and wants something better. Box 318 Times, 2 Rector St.

OFFICE AND ADVERTISING MANAGER.—Young man with 12 years' experience desires position; legal education. V 334 Times Downtown.

PERHAPS You Want Me?—I'm 19, and am looking for good-paying, advancement-on-merit position; in return, I offer keen desire for work; general office and timekeeping experience; 2 years in commercial high school and excellent references. Address V 318 Times Downtown.

PLUMBER, reliable, wishes position, with hotel or estate. Altman, 318 East 52d St.

PRIVATE SECRETARY, (32,) confidential position or executive's assistant, by thoroughly experienced, broad-gauged American; exceptional correspondent, organizer, stenographer; prominent corporations fifteen years. V 284 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, reliable, many years' practical experience, wishes position as traveling salesman; speaks English, French, and German; best references. Write B. K., 61 2d St., Hoboken.

SALESMAN, young man, 21; 2 years' traveling, infants' wear and waists; good following. Write Salesman, 1,335 3d Av.

SALESMAN.—(28;) 5 years' road experience; A1 record; desirous of making change; interview solicited. G 442 Times Annex.

SALESMAN-WINDOW TRIMMER, experience gents' furnishings, wishes position. V 319 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY,
AMERICAN, SINGLE, AGE 24.
CASHIER-PAYMASTER FOR INDUSTRIAL CONCERN EMPLOYING 2,000 MEN.
FAMILIAR WITH LABOR LAWS,
SAFETY FIRST, WELFARE WORK.
Selling-Purchasing-Editorial Experience. Correspondent-Stenographer.
NO MODERATE SALARY CONSIDERED.
Z 322 Times Annex.

SECRETARY, Office Manager.—Understands steel manufacture; legal and corporate experience; knows Spanish; good stenographer. V 331 Times Downtown.

SOUTH AMERICAN desires position, exporting house, where he may learn the business and secure a future. R 134 Times.

SPANIARD, 21 years old, speaks French, English, Italian, wishes position for travel or office. R 136 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - CORRESPONDENT. — Young man having personality, initiative, ability, secretarial training, good knowledge precise English, employed, seeks position offering opportunity develop into correspondent. R 139 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - BOOKKEEPER. — Six years' experience office and shipping department; salary $15. Victor Simon, 404 Alabama Av., Brooklyn.

STENOGRAPHER, (17;) knowledge bookkeeping and Spanish; excellent references; small salary. V 313 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER with legal experience will accept night position; knows Spanish. V 332 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Seven years' experience; good references; dictaphone experience. R 137 Times.

STEWARD, married, wishes position in country club; first-class references. R 149 Times.

UNIVERSITY graduate, capable, ambitious, efficient, executive young man, desires position. V 330 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (28,) with thorough business training, having been in advertising line for over 10 years, desires change to some other business; pleasing address; hard worker, ambitious, possessing selling ability; will consider inside or outside position; highest credentials; expect to start moderately, but prospects must be good. R 131 Times.

YOUNG MAN, absolutely trustworthy, several years' experience in painting and sign business, understands repairs to buildings, retired from present business, desires position in realty company or as assistant to Superintendent in building construction in New York or elsewhere; moderate wages. Meyer Singer, 154 Duane St.

YOUNG MAN, Swiss nationality, well conversant with all kinds office work, bookkeeping, thoroughly acquainted with export and import trade, corresponding Spanish, French, Italian, and German, wants adequate position in or out of the city. E. M., Times Harlem.

YOUNG MAN, 22, knowledge of bookkeeping, general office routine, correspondence, &c., quick at figures, highly recommended, seeks opportunity offering future. B 245 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (18 years,) high school education, 2 years' experience office work, typist, wishes position where good work and ability insure advancement. R 128 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 26, desires change; 11 years' banking experience, graduate accounting school; present holds responsible position. R 72 Times.

YOUNG MAN, (26,) ambitious, intelligent, good appearance, anxious to connect with concern offering opportunity; best reference. V 280 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, well bred, cultured, speaks English, French, German, would appreciate position, day or night. V 304 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 25, well experienced billing, office detail, desires position with advancement; excellent references. V 303 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (21,) college and law school education, desires position with advancement; prefer automobile line. R 129 Times.

YOUNG MAN, age 22, Scotch descent, wishes position on gentleman's place; please state full particulars in first letter. Charles Greig, 337 West 14th St.

YOUNG MAN, (23,) desires position as assistant to manager in office of manufacturing concern. M L 85 Times Harlem.

YOUNG MAN, 26, educated, understanding bookkeeping, desires position with advancement. R 59 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, experienced, desires clerical position; good penman; accurate at figures. Address K., 753 Jennings St., Bronx.

YOUNG MAN, active, business ability, seeks position offering opportunity. Intelligent, V 307 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, married, 26, good business education, desires employment. V 326 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (23,) American, desires outdoor employment; anything. V 286 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 22, salesmanship ability, bright, neat; excellent references. T. Settle, 108 West 141st St.

YOUNG MAN, (24,) business experience, wishes position, office or other. R 127 Times.

## HELP WANTED—Female.

BOOKKEEPER, double entry, with knowledge of typewriting and switchboard; must be experienced. Standard Iron Works, 540 West 58th St.

CARD FILERS.—Wanted, experienced and competent card filers, periodical subscription department large publishing house; must be thoroughly trained, familiar with mailing lists and subscription work; salary to start, $8 per week; if you will not be worth more the first month do not apply. Address Permanent, 222 Times Downtown.

CARETAKER, HOUSEKEEPER,
AND MANAGER
wanted to take charge of a fine private house altered into apartments; small pay until building is fully tenanted; couple preferred. Call, 9 to 12, today. Everett M. Seixas Co., 507 5th Av.

CLERK.—YOUNG WOMAN OVER 16 YEARS OF AGE, GOOD AT FIGURES. WRITE, STATING QUALIFICATIONS AND SALARY EXPECTED, C. KENYON CO., EMPLOYMENT DEPT., 754 PACIFIC ST., BROOKLYN.

COOK.—Young woman, white, as cook in employer's lunch room for girls in large concern; salary $10 a week to start. Address K 343 Times Downtown.

COOK.—Under 38; excellent baker; understand preserving; country soon; private family; good wages; references necessary. Phone 2705 Schuyler.

DESIGNER.
Experienced on children's colored dresses; to one who can make good an excellent position is offered; all applications treated confidentially. K 108 Times.

EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR.
WE REQUIRE THE SERVICES OF A WOMAN AS EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR; ONE THAT HAS HAD EXPERIENCE IN DEPARTMENT STORE WORK; GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR THE RIGHT PARTY. APPLY BY LETTER, STATING EXPERIENCE, REFERENCE, &c.
L. S. PLAUT & CO.,
NEWARK, NEW JERSEY.

FINISHERS ON FURS.—Experienced; very fine, fancy furs; good pay, steady work. N. Sobel, 25 West 32d St.

GIMBEL BROTHERS,
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REQUIRE THE SERVICES OF A NUMBER OF EXPERIENCED TRACERS. GOOD SALARIES AND PERMANENT POSITIONS.
Apply at Superintendent's Office, Fifth Floor.

GIRLS, 18 to 24 years of age, for clerical work, with some experience of mail reading; good steady position; excellent prospects for advancement. Bellas Hess Co., 95 Morton St.

HOUSEWORKER in small family; middle-aged woman preferred; $30. Telephone Cortlandt 4790.

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NEWARK, NEW JERSEY,
REQUIRE THE SERVICES OF EXPERIENCED SALESWOMEN FOR THEIR SUITS AND MILLINERY DEPARTMENTS; PERMANENT POSITION TO COMPETENT PEOPLE. APPLY BY LETTER OR IN PERSON TO SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

MOTHER'S HELPER, good plain cook, light household duties, mending; musical preferred; $25. Address F., Hastings-on-Hudson.

NURSE or attendant for an institution; salary, $22 a month. Address Dr. E. A. Stevenson, Stamford, Conn.

STENOGRAPHER.—Wanted, young woman in office where careful work and strict attention will be appreciated; answer by mail, stating stenographic experience, reference, and salary expected. V 323 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, &c.—Young lady wanted to do stenography, typewriting, and general clerical work; must be accurate at figures. Write, stating age, experience, and salary, R 117 Times.

STENOGRAPHER.—Large salary for high-class young stenographer of good height and appearance, size 16, general office and showroom work; big opportunity. 244 5th Av., 7th floor.

STENOGRAPHER and typewriter, with four years' or more experience, rapid at dictation and a quick operator. William Salmon, 723 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young lady of education and several years' experience; salary to start, $12. Hygeia, 160 West 14th St.

STENOGRAPHER.—Accuracy preferred to rapidity; must be intelligent; $12. R 146 Times.

STENOGRAPHER.—Experienced, for factory office; about $10 to start. Apply Crucet Mfg. Co., 256 West 28th St.

STENOGRAPHER and TYPIST. — Spanish; must be experienced; give full particulars. G., Box 90, 1,364 Broadway.

STOCK GIRLS,
AGE 16 OR 17, OF GOOD APPEARANCE AND FAIR EDUCATION, TO WORK IN PERFUMERY AND TOILET GOODS DEPARTMENTS; MUST BE WILLING TO LEARN AND ANXIOUS TO GET AHEAD. PARK & TILFORD, 529 WEST 42D ST.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR.—New York Stock Exchange firm requires competent girl for busy double board; state age, experience, and salary desired. V 342 Times Downtown.

YOUNG WOMAN, with knowledge of stenography and typewriting, in dispensary of children's hospital; knowledge of German and Yiddish preferred; must write good hand; moderate salary to start. Apply Superintendent, 41 East 123d St.

YOUNG WOMAN to take charge of employer's lunch room for girls in large concern; should have high school education and domestic science training; salary $12 to start. Address K 342 Times Downtown.

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STENOGRAPHERS.
NO REGISTRATION FEE.
PERMANENT POSITIONS OPENED.
Stenographers, bookkeepers, typists, telephone operators, ledger clerks, office assistants, dictaphone operators. Diehl Agency, 20 Vesey St.

DICTAPHONE OPERATORS.—Several openings for beginners and experienced operators; $12 to $25. Bailey-O'Connor Agency, 103 Park Av., (41st St.,) Room 802. Tel. Murray Hill 4620.

DICTAPHONE OPERATORS, experienced Spanish and English, $20; several others, attractive openings, at $12, $15, $18. Call The Dictaphone, 83 Chambers St.

STENOGRAPHERS, $12, $10; dictaphone, $12, $15; clerical, $8. MacNeill, agency, 13 Park Row.

STENOGRAPHERS, Bookkeepers, Addressers.—Numerous positions; free registration. Van Tyn Agency, 1 West 34th St.

STENOGRAPHERS, ten, $8-$12; number, $15-$18; typist. Jupp Agency, 87 Nassau.

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PRIVATE SECRETARY course.
PRATT SCHOOL, 64 West 45th St.
Registered by the Board of Regents of the UNIVERSITY of the State of New York; Individual instruction. Reservations must be made in advance. References required.

LEARN PHOTOGRAPH RETOUCHING in few weeks. Earn $25 to $50 weekly at spare time, homework or in steady employment. Day or evening classes. Easy terms. Write or call for free booklet. N. Y. Institute of Photography, 2100-B, 141 West 36th St., New York City.

COMPLETE SECRETARIAL COURSE; also stenography, bookkeeping, penmanship, &c.; individual instruction by specialists, day or night; begin any time; graduates assisted to investigated situations; see catalogue. Walworth Institute, (Founded 1858,) Broadway, at 72d St.

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Three months' course; individual instruction; students on probation; graduates registered.
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$10,
this week only, Day or Night, pays for Complete Course in Stenography, Typewriting, Telegraphy; positions guaranteed. Est. 1884. GAFFEY'S SCHOOL, 25-27 West 34th St.

## HELP WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT.
Certified (of New York) or chartered, with at least 3 years' experience, as first grade senior with representative accounting firm; position permanent, and for right man will offer contract for first year's salary of from $2,400 to $3,300, with headquarters at New York; applications must be complete and will be considered confidential. K 299 Times Downtown.

ADVERTISING SOLICITOR with successful record and experience in dry goods line for trade paper; preference given to those employed at present; state salary. V 64 Times.

## HELP WANTED—Male.

ADVERTISING MANAGER.—Prominent publishing house has splendid opening for experienced advertising manager, capable of closing big contracts and taking entire charge of business end of magazine; give full details regarding salary, career, and experience in replying; $50 a week, plus commission on advertising. V 65 Times.

ADVERTISING SALESMAN with some experience on a business paper; man who can help prospects with copy preferred; permanent; opportunity for young man not over 30 years of age; commission with drawing account. Address K 125 Times.

ADVERTISING—A1—SOLICITOR.
Profitable commissions. Wilson, 151 Grand; afternoons.

ASSISTANT IN CONTRACT DEPT.
A large department store have in their contract department, an opening for an assistant; position demands tact, precision and much energetic work; an excellent opportunity for advancement with a good firm doing a large contract business. Address stating experience. V 348 Times Downtown.

ASSISTANT.—Secretary of national publication wants alert and intelligent assistant, experienced in handling secretarial matters; must be rapid stenographer; splendid opportunity for advancement if capable. V 57 Times.

BANK BOOKKEEPER. — EXPERIENCED AND COMPETENT TO TAKE HOLD AT ONCE IN FINANCIAL INSTITUTION; ADDRESS IN CONFIDENCE WITH REFERENCES AND SALARY DESIRED. CHANCE, V 336 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

BILLING OPERATOR for Elliott Fisher billing machine; experienced and accurate; steady position; $15 per week; advancement. M. Lowenstein & Son, 40 West 23d.

BOOKKEEPER wanted by a large printing concern; state age, experience in detail, and salary desired. V 327 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER.—Man about 50 years old; thoroughly experienced; references; state experience, salary, &c. K 106 Times.

BOYS WANTED.
Boys and young men who want a business education; must be 16 and grammar school graduates; your chance to connect with a house that fills its bigger jobs from the ranks; write a letter stating your qualifications and bring it with you. Rogers Peet Company. Apply to Mr. McAuliffe, 5th Av. and 41st St.

BOYS
OF 16 TO 18 YEARS, TO MAKE DELIVERIES IN PUSH CARTS; STEADY WORK FOR CLEAN, STRONG BOYS, WHO ARE WILLING TO LEARN BUSINESS AND BE ADVANCED. PARK & TILFORD, 529 WEST 42D ST.

BOY.—Large financial institution requires a good, clear-headed boy to start as junior; good prospects; must be high school graduate; apply in own handwriting, and state nationality and religion. V 288 Times Downtown.

BOYS, 14 to 16, for office of large corporation; salary to start, $6 week; excellent chance for advancement. V 285 Times Downtown.

BOY living in Brooklyn for machine shop, large Brooklyn firm; good chance to learn machinery trade; $6 to start. Cameron Machine Co., 57 Poplar St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

BOY.—Bright American office boy wanted in law office. Address in own handwriting Room 110, 1 Broadway.

BOY WANTED.—Wholesale dry goods house; state age, salary expected. V 251 Times Downtown.

BOY (American) wanted, 15 to 17 years old, to fill orders in stock room; good opportunity; references. V 344 Times Downtown.

BOY in office of established advertising agency; full particulars regarding salary and experience. K 120 Times.

BOY wanted in law office; answer in own handwriting, giving age. Box K 115 Times.

BOY wanted in large law office; salary, $6. V 341 Times Downtown.

BRAKEMEN wanted by the New Haven Railroad; experienced men only. Apply Employment Car, 133d St. and Willis Av., Bronx.

BUTLER, VALET.—Not afraid of work; competent; country soon; good wages; references necessary. Phone 2708 Schuyler.

BUYER FOR EXPORT TRADE,
SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA.
Must have experience both in buying and shipping, able to give excellent references; one who can read and write the language of the countries preferred. Apply by letter, giving full particulars and salary expected. G 447 Times Annex.

DRAFTSMAN.—A1 tool, gig, and fixture designers; practical men only need apply. Call in person, Otis Elevator Co., Yonkers, N. Y.

CIGAR CLERK.
YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED IN HANDLING AND SELLING CIGARS; MUST BE CAPABLE OF TAKING ENTIRE CHARGE OF CIGAR COUNTER. THIS IS A GOOD POSITION FOR AN ALERT, INTELLIGENT SALESMAN; UNLESS YOU MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS FULLY, DON'T APPLY. SALARY $12 WEEKLY; HOURS 7:30 TO 6:30 P. M. PARK & TILFORD, 529 WEST 42D ST.

ELECTRICAL MAN wanted for central station distribution system; must be experienced in high and low tension overhead line construction; give age, experience, and salary expected. Wm. Foster, 1,208 N. 31st St., Phila., Penn.

ELECTRICAL.—Wanted, experienced overhead line foreman; must be experienced on high and low tension construction; give age, experience, and salary expected. Wm. Foster, 1208 N. 31st St., Philadelphia, Penn.

EXECUTIVE MANAGER wanted for loose leaf blank book bindery and printing shop; must have had experience in the use of up-to-date cost systems; state experience and give references. Z 319 Times Annex.

FACTORY MAN wanted in Brooklyn, with thorough knowledge of bookkeeping and some accounting, control ledger work, able to make statements and ascertain costs; should be able to write letters in good English; age 30 to 35; prefer married man, steady, good habits, character to command respect, capable of handling small office force; unless meeting qualifications do not reply; applicant should state salary and send small specimen of work. Box V 321 Times Downtown.

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IRON WORKERS. — MUST BE EXPERIENCED IN LAYING OUT AND ERECTING STAIR WORK. GOOD PAY. THE ORNAMENTAL IRON WORK CO., AKRON, OHIO.

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MACHINISTS, MOULDERS.
All-round men, engine lathe, planer, boring mill, vise hands; steady work; no labor troubles; good wages. Apply Room 8, Barge Office, Battery Park, New York City.

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMEN wanted, over 25 years of age, who can detail from layouts; electrical experience not necessary; permanent positions and every chance for advancement offered to the right men. Address Chief Clerk Engineering Department, Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., East Pittsburgh, Pa.

MECHANIC wanted, experienced on English traveling bags. Professional Bag Co., 46 Wooster St.

NIGHT WATCHMAN wanted for office bldg.; state age, references, salary and experience. Z 327 Times Annex.

OFFICE BOY, FROM 14 TO 16 YEARS OLD, ALSO STOCK BOY. H. JAECKEL & SONS, 16 WEST 32D ST.

OFFICE BOY wanted; good opportunity; state age, experience, and salary. K 112 Times.

OFFICE BOY, 16-17 years old; hours, 1 to 8 P. M. R 145 Times.

PAPER BUSINESS.—We want to teach the wholesale paper business to a college man of exceptional ability; it is a hard business to learn, but a mighty good business to know; if you want to work for a good future write us. V 283 Times Downtown.

## HELP WANTED—Male.

PRODUCTION MANAGER.
Large, well-established company manufacturing automobile accessories desires services of capable production manager with the following qualifications and experience: Technical graduate, 30 to 40, married man preferred, clean cut, aggressive, of generous build; must have had at least five years' practical experience in every branch, such as shop work, drawing room work, tool designing, etc.; thoroughly informed in modern cost and planning department methods, with some electrical experience preferred; state age, experience, nationality, religion, salary desired, and credentials, to receive consideration. R 143 Times.

RECEIVING AND CREDIT CLERK.
COMPETENT AND INTELLIGENT YOUNG MAN, WHO COULD BE TRUSTED TO CHECK ACCURATELY ALL GOODS RECEIVED AND RETURNED; MUST HAVE HAD EXPERIENCE IN THIS WORK; SALARY $13 WEEKLY. PARK & TILFORD, 529 WEST 42D ST.

SALESMAN WANTED.
A corporation of many years' standing, with expanding business, must have A1 salesman for Eastern territory; will give every possible co-operation, including drawing account, but demand good character, high-class appearance and genuine salesmanship ability; state age, experience; advancement assured good men. R 16 Times.

SALESMAN.—We want a red-blooded salesman who can sell a limited and closed stock issue on an industrial operation that is based on a contract that covers the production of the plant for five years; the right man can make a clean-up on a strictly commission basis for the next sixty days and have another proposition of equal merit to work on when the present stock is closed; this is a big and profitable opportunity for the real stock salesman; it means immediate cash. G 446 Times Annex.

SALESMAN WANTED.
Man with commercial, mercantile, or specialty selling experience wanted for out-of-town territory, selling the most heavily advertised special commodity to business, professional, and other people, on leads with hurry-up closing argument; business booming and salesmen earning $50-$250 per week now; commissions, drawing account, transportation, training; quick action. Call, 9-12 and 1-5. C. H. Bellows, sixth floor, 120 West 32d St.

SALESMAN WANTED
to travel Eastern States; training, leads, transportation, and drawing account against commission given; must be 25-40 years old, have high school education, and refer to past employers; we are paying $75-$150 to good salesmen; phenomenal success of our general advertising requires increase in sales force. Call Encyclopedia Britannica, sixth floor, 120 West 32d St.

SALESMAN WANTED.
Real live wire salesman, 28 to 40, American man with a clean record, ability and plenty of initiative, for an unusual selling line; intensive traveling; to a man who will follow instructions, who has the above qualifications, an opportunity for large earnings is offered; expenses advanced against a liberal commission basis. K 117 Times.

SALESMEN wanted, between 27 and 37 years of age, familiar with hardware and implement trade, for Southeastern New York State, and Northern New Jersey; eighty-five dollars per month and traveling expenses with extra commission; answer in own handwriting. Louden Machinery Co., Albany, N. Y.

SALESMEN.—Real, live young men, capable of earning $50 per week or more, selling Ford automobiles on commission; cars sell themselves; call Wednesday, 10 A. M. Ford Downtown Sales Co., 105 Lafayette St.

SALESMAN.—Energetic, experienced, salesman in steam power plants to work in Philadelphia; commission, with advance; an excellent opening for the right man. Paige & Jones Chemical Co., 51 East 42d St.

SALESMEN.—Only high-class men experienced in selling sweater coats, need apply; no others will be considered; commission basis, with drawing account. William P. Morris, Co., 366 Broadway.

SALESMEN.—Three good salesmen for our New York office to follow up real estate leads; men with real estate sales ability can earn from $100 to $200 per week; commission basis; immediate sales can be closed. K 127 Times.

SALESMAN who is used to earning hundred dollars weekly, sell nationally advertised article; commission basis; we furnish leads worth while. Lord Co., 1,269 Broadway.

SALESMEN.—After 10 A. M. Thursday I will interview salesmen who are willing to accept about $60 per week on commission basis for writing yearly service contracts. Sullivan-Ball, 120 West 32d.

SALESMAN for high class mercantile specialty, unlimited field; full co-operation and protection; commission basis; give phone. V 58 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced; contractors' equipment; give full particulars; drawing account. V 53 Times.

SALESMAN to sell sausage casing; only experienced apply; salary. Box B 44 Times Annex.

SILVERSMITHS wanted; men accustomed to working on hard mental hotel hollow ware; steady employment; good wages. Z 323 Times Annex.

STENOGRAPHER AND BOOKKEEPER in the office of a large country estate in New Jersey; about 30 miles from Newark; must be a first-class stenographer and be quick and accurate at figures; courtesy and tact and refinement are essential qualifications for this position as well as ability; good salary, with promotion and reasonable hours; prefer a person about 25 to 35 years of age; give full information in first letter, stating phone number if you have one; only those who can furnish highest references will be considered. Z 263 Times Annex.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, for billing work; must be neat and accurate; salary to start, $16; future salary fixed by responsibility able to assume. Those interested in permanent position will reply in writing, giving 'phone number and stating business experience, religion, and if at present employed. Write "Position," 1,775 Broadway.

STENOGRAPHER and typist wanted. R. C. Shepherd, Room 1,101, 128 Broadway.

SUPERINTENDENT WANTED
FOR MACHINE SHOP
MANUFACTURING SPECIAL
PAPER MILL MACHINERY,
LOCATED AT BROOKLYN, N. Y.
The following qualities and training requisite: Clean character and record from school to date, covering a period of at least fifteen years from technical degree; practical shop experience, also experience as executive including successful administration as Superintendent or works manager; experience preferred in lines manufacturing special machinery for paper mills, or manufacturers of paper goods of any kind, including printers' machinery; position requires thorough knowledge modern machine shop practice, combined with executive ability to direct manufacturing plant equipped with modern tools and manned by approximately 125 first class hands; please outline experience to date, accepting our assurance no investigation will be made with present employers prior to conference. Z 225 Times Annex.

SUPERINTENDENT for high-class apartment house; previous experience necessary; must be a good executive; reply giving references; no applications will be considered unless previous experience is stated; salary $100. K 126 Times.

TIME STUDY MAN, competent, wanted, who has had experience in taking time studies on the machining operations of gun parts. Address Box Z 318 Times Annex, stating age, experience, wages expected, and references.

TYPEWRITER OPERATOR.
A young man, about 17, of first class education and intelligence; must be rapid and accurate, and write good handwriting; $10. Address Rare Chance, G 448 Times Annex.

VALET.—Bachelor seeks valet who is also experienced butler; must be neat in appearance, well recommended, and able to do light cooking. Address, with references, Z 326 Times Annex.

YOUNG MAN 17 or 18 years of age in office of wholesale hardware firm to learn the hardware business, for which thorough training is necessary; high school graduate or attendant preferred; fixed line of promotion, starting on mailing desk at $5 per week, with advance in pay and position in three months and again in six months. Address V 338 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, willing, capable, with practical railroad experience, familiar with rating, routing, tracing and describing shipments, and with some knowledge of accountancy and general office work. Address J. S., P. O. Box 187, Mad. Sq. Station.

YOUNG MAN, 18 to 20, by publishing house; must be bright, active and accurate at figures; splendid opportunity for right party; answer in own handwriting, stating salary expected at beginning, references, &c. R 151 Times.

YOUNG MAN with a good practical knowledge of bookkeeping wanted by large manufacturing concern to work in afternoon and evening; state salary desired, experience, and age. K 118 Times.

YOUNG MAN with some knowledge of bookkeeping; state age, experience, references, and salary expected. K 119 Times.

YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST WITH BOOKKEEPING. K 114 TIMES.

# THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Reports are missing from the Northwest and portions of the upper lake region. The southwestern disturbance has moved rapidly northeastward to Eastern Iowa with increased intensity, and general rains and snows have fallen over the Plains States, the Great Central Valleys, the lake region, Maryland, Virginia, and Tennessee, with considerable snow and some ice and sleet in the upper lake region.

There is also another North Pacific disturbance central over Nevada, attended by rains and snows to the westward and northward. Elsewhere the weather was fair.

It is considerably colder from Maryland southward to Eastern Georgia and in the Southwest, and considerably warmer in the Lower Ohio Valley. Elsewhere temperatures have changed but little.

There will be snow or rain quite generally on Wednesday from the Upper Mississippi Valley eastward, reaching New England by Wednesday night, and snow will continue Thursday from the lake region eastward, while in the Ohio Valley, Tennessee, and the Middle Atlantic States the weather will probably clear Thursday. In the South the weather will be unsettled, with local rains Wednesday in the East Gulf States and Thursday in the South Atlantic States, except Florida.

It will be colder Wednesday in the East Gulf States and Western Tennessee and on Thursday in the Ohio Valley and the west portions of the Middle and South Atlantic districts.

Winds for Wednesday and Thursday along the North Atlantic Coast will be moderate north and northeast, becoming fresh Wednesday night; fair Wednesday, rain or snow Thursday; Middle Atlantic Coast, north and northeast, increasing Wednesday night; cloudy Wednesday, followed by rain at night; South Atlantic Coast, moderate northeast, except east and southeast; off the Florida Coast, generally fair weather.

FORECAST TODAY AND THURSDAY.

Eastern New York—Cloudy Wednesday; snow or rain in the afternoon or night in south; snow north. Thursday snow or rain.

Southern New England—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain or snow by night. Thursday snow or rain.

New Jersey—Rain Wednesday. Thursday cloudy.

Western New York—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by snow Thursday.

Eastern Pennsylvania — Rain or snow Wednesday. Thursday probably clearing, colder west.

Northern New England—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by snow at night. Thursday snow.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

| | 1916. | 1917. | | 1916. | 1917. |
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| 3 A. M. | 35 | 29 | 4 P. M. | 48 | 45 |
| 6 A. M. | 37 | 28 | 6 P. M. | 44 | 44 |
| 9 A. M. | 39 | 33 | 9 P. M. | 38 | 40 |
| 12 M. | 46 | 41 | 11 P. M. | 36 | 39 |

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 36; for the corresponding date last year it was 40; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 36. The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 31; at 8 P. M. it was 41. Maximum temperature, 46 degrees at 2 P. M.; minimum, 27 degrees at 5:45 A. M. Humidity, 48 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 44 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 30.30 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.24 inches.

## Fire Record.

A. M. Loss.
2:10—Boston Road and Town Dock Road, (auto); Harry Messer........$200
3:00—64 6 Av.; E. J. Scully........Slight
4:20—2,106 2 Av.; Frank Ross........Slight
7:30—566 Beck St.; Max Bernstein....Slight
7:55—447 W. 26 St.; John Prager....Slight
10:50—118 John St.; Hyman Bros......$2,500
11:25—104 Monroe St.; Dora Grader...Slight
11:30—58-60 E. 90 St.; Fanny Kall....Slight
11:40—170 W. 121 St.; E. Hungerford..Slight
P. M.
1:10—551 E. 116 St.; Fulton Steam Laundry........Slight
2:15—27 East Houston St.; Sarah Ladenski........Slight
3:50—2,715 8 Av.; John Geever........Slight
4:15—Front 793 11 Av., (auto truck); Thedford, Eltz & Co........Slight
5:00—Front 14 Pelham St., (truck); Peter Lenane........$50
5:10—412 W. 36 St.; E. Goffet........Slight
5:30—Front 808 E. 134 St., (auto truck); Standard Gas Co........Slight
5:45—70 W. 68 St.; Mary Hoffman....Slight
6:00—291 Hudson St.; Jos. Dolsendro..Slight
8:20—368 W. 116 St.; Louis Cram........None
11:30—260 Bowery; P. H. Collins........$100
11:55—Pier 37, N. R., (cotton bale;) Clyde Steamship Co........$5

## Police and Fire News

### Police Department.

Transfers and assignments—Patrol., 4 P. M., March 14: F. W. Harmse, 63 to 33; W. O'Brien, 149 to 35; J. J. Tormey, 160 to 33; C. H. Wash, 2 I. D. to Train. School. At 8 A. M., March 16: J P. Murray, 61 to C. O. Squad, Bur. of Inf.

Temporary assignment: Patrol W. S. Eason, 39 to 5 I. D., clerical duty, 10 days, 4 P. M., March 18.

Leaves of absence: Patrol D. S. Leahy, 6, 1 day, 4 P. M., March 17; J. Meare and J. J. Hart, 6, 1 day, 8 A. M., March 17.

Full pay while on sick report: Patrol. J. J. Allen, 16, 10:15 P. M., Feb. 14, during disability; D. Brennan, 28, 11:20 P. M., Jan. 2, to noon, Jan. 15, and 2 P. M., Jan. 31, during disability.

Resignation accepted: Patrol. G. Henenlotter, 153.

Death: Patrol. E. E. Gross, 36, at 1:30 A. M., March 12.

### Fire Department.

Trial—Fireman 1st Grade Joseph A. Corley, Engine 73; charge, reckless driving. Charge dismissed.

Special leaves of absence—Fireman 1st Grade Matthew M. Casey, Engine 13, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., March 11; Fireman 3d Grade William Tusst, Engine 4, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., March 11; Fireman 1st Grade, Michael Conway, No. 1, H. and L. 28, 48 hours, from 8 A. M., March 17; Fireman 2d Grade Charles H. Gartelmann, H. and L. 19, 36 hours, from 8 P. M., March 17; Fireman 1st Grade William A. Pollock, Engine 13, 36 hours, from 8 P. M., March 17.

## HELP WANTED—Male.

### Employment Agencies.

EXECUTIVES (several) for Middle West; men of exceptional ability only; office manager, $25; secretaries, (5,) $25; cable clerks, (2,) $25; claim correspondents, $18; salesmen, salary $2,000 up; collector and solicitor, commission basis; typist, Elliott Fischer operator, clerks. Business Service Bureau, 309 Broadway.

HIRST OCCUPATIONAL EXCHANGE,
95 Liberty St. Cortlandt 6351.
Translator, German-Spanish, $1,200-$1,400; typists, Remington-Wahl billing machine operators, clean cut office boy.

DICTAPHONE OPERATORS, experienced; several openings; salary $12-$15. Call The Dictaphone, 83 Chambers.

STENOGRAPHER, $16; typist, $10; bill clerk, $13; boys. Jupp Agency, 87 Nassau.

### Instruction.

THE U. S. SECRETARIAL SCHOOL, 542-544 Fifth Av., (45th St.)—The oldest and pre-eminently the most successful. Prepares for and obtains excellent secretarial positions. Favorite school for College and High School graduates. Day, Evening, and Correspondence Courses. Catalogue. Prof. Meagher, M. A., Director.

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CAMERA MEN WANTED—LEARN
Motion Picture Photography easily in few weeks; earn $40 to $100 weekly; day or evening; easy terms. Call or write for booklet. N. Y. Institute of Photography, 2100-B, 141 West 36th St., New York.

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## BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

For Sale.—Leading department store in a Southern seaport city; business established over fifty years; sales over $300,000 last year; low freight and quick delivery from New York; stock on hand, $100,000; owners retiring; can give interview Thursday, 9 to 12 A. M., March 15. Lorenzen, Green & Kohn, Brunswick Building, city.

An unusual chance for party as partner with sufficient capital to realize enormous profits from new-art-creating process patent; recording and reproducing motion; machine writes signatures, assembles parts, labels, packs, &c., according to record; simple; models built; no schemers. Suggest appointment Signograph, V 324 Times Downtown.

Who requires a partner with small capital, or who wishes to sell a small established manufacturing or publishing business, or who wants an experienced business manager capable of obtaining credits. K 116 Times.

Wanted, $200,000 to $300,000 proposition netting about 7% for 20 years; principal secured or refunded at the end of 20 years. Address Z 265 Times Annex.

Aeroplane designer wishes to get in touch with party to finance manufacture of up-to-date machine; take charge of construction; arrange for interview. V 56 Times.

Sole Coast agencies wanted to represent reliable Eastern firms and manufacturers; bank references. Gibbs & Co., 330 Pacific Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

Quantity buyers, progressive systematizers wanted to investigate our Print-unit Standardization applied to printing production, purchases. R 144 Times.

## The United Service

### Army.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Resignation of Maj. A. W. Brown, Judge Advocate, of his commission as a Captain of Infantry only, accepted.

1st Lt. C. B. Wood, M. R. C., now in this city, will report to Commandant Army Medical School for duty as Assistant to the Professor of Sanitary Chemistry.

2d Lt. C. M. Watson, 2d Inf., Fla. N. G., is discharged from the service.

Orders of Feb. 1 relating to the following 1st Lts. of M. R. C. revoked: H. L. Arnold, W. P. Baker, T. L. Gore, J. M. Greer, L. J. Regan, P. R. Hawley, P. S. Tucker, and J. A. Bethea.

1st Lts. H. L. Arnold and L. J. Regan, M. R. C., from duty at Army Medical School, this city, to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for duty.

1st Lts. T. L. Gore and J. M. Greer, M. R. C., from duty at Army Medical School, this city, to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for duty and by letter to Commanding General Eastern Dept.

1st Lts. W. P. Baker and P. R. Hawley, M. R. C., from duty at Army Medical School, this city, to Fort Thomas, Ky., for duty and by letter to Commanding General Eastern Dept.

1st Lts. J. A. Bethea and P. S. Tucker, M. R. C., from Army Medical School, this city, to Fort Monroe, Va., for duty and by letter to Commanding General Eastern Dept.

1st Lt. H. L. Krafft, M. R. C., upon arrival of 1st Lts. J. A. Bethea and P. S. Tucker, M. R. C., at Fort Monroe, Va., will return to his station.

1st Lt. H. Q. Fletcher, M. R. C., upon arrival of 1st Lts. T. L. Gore and J. M. Greer at Fort Oglethorpe, will proceed to his home and report to Adj. General of the army.

1st Lt. C. K. Berle, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, to active duty. He will report to Commanding General Southern Dept. for duty to accompany troops to a point nearest this city, then report to Commandant Army Medical School for course of instruction.

Capt. J. J. Toffey, Jr., Inf., will resume his duties as Inspector-Instructor of National Guard in Indiana, with station at Indianapolis.

1st Lt. S. M. Decker, C. A. C., now at Ft. Howard, Md., to Walter Reed Hospital, sick.

1st Lt. R. W. Lesher, retired, from duty at Harrisburg, Penn.; and from further recruiting duty. He will proceed to his home. He is relieved from active duty.

1st Lt. W. T. Weissinger, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, to Southern Dept. for duty to accompany troops to a point nearest this city, then report to Commandant Army Medical School for course of instruction.

Maj. L. T. Richardson, Inf., now at Chicago, to Madison, Wis., as Inspector-Instructor of the National Guard in Wisconsin.

Orders of March 8 are amended to read: Col. M. G. Zalinski, Q. M. C., upon arrival in United States, to Philadelphia and assume charge of the General Depot of the Q. M. C. in that city; also of construction work and command of Field Supply Depot No. 1, relieving Lt. Col. G. H. Penrose, Q. M. C., who will report to Depot Q. M., Phila., for duty as his assistant.

Leaves: Capt. F. T. Cruse, F. A., (Lt. Col. 3d F. A., Phila. N. G.,) one month, and Capt. A. B. Sloan, 22d Inf., one month.

## The Civil Service.

### City.

The following lists are announced:

Mechanical Draftsman, (Electrical,) Grade C—Morris Marx, 93.50; Charles S. Mans, 89.20; Morris Fried, 87.60; Ernest Tarof, 80.60; William Casper, 79.40; Benjamin Levinson, 79.40; Alvin Altheimer, 77.60; Joseph Sussman, 77.20; Harry Cisin, 77.20; James Uswald, 75; Robert J. Langan, 74.60; Oscar Gunther, 74.

Mechanical Draftsman, (Sanitary,) Grade C—Charles Tessier, 90; Maurice A. Loewy, 83.60; Heathcote Lawson, 82.20; Paul Hunter, 73.20; John Ziegler, 71.60; Robert Glenn, Jr., 70.20.

### United States.

The commission announces for March 20 an examination for engineer of tests for experimental work in aero motor engineering, for men only. A vacancy in the Department of Steam Engineering, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., at $4,000 a year, and future vacancies requiring similar qualifications will be filled from this examination. The duties consist in the direction and interpretation of tests of aeronautical engines, design of aeronautical engines, and research work in connection with the design and tests of gas manifolds, carburetors, radiators, &c., with a view of determining faults in the present design and construction and of improving the same. For this work the aero motor testing laboratory and the wind tunnel at the Washington Navy Yard will be available. The appointee should have a broad training in engineering and mathematics, be familiar with the most approved types of dynamometers, and be thoroughly competent to undertake original investigation involving the application of theoretical mechanics and hydromechanics, and to assume direction of experimental research in high-speed gas engine operation and high-speed gas engine design. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on general education and technical training, experience and fitness, and publications or reports or a thesis. They must have reached their twenty-fifth but not their forty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination.

The commission calls attention to the examinations for aid in the Bureau of Standards on March 21-22 and April 11-12. There is urgent need for eligibles for this position, and those qualifying under this examination have excellent opportunity for early appointment.

The American Alliance of Civil Service Women has appointed a committee to co-operate with the Federal Government in its investigation of discrimination against women in the civil service. All who know of such discriminations are invited to communicate with Miss Bernice Dey Rynar, 70 Fifth Avenue, Chairman of the committee. Such communications will be treated confidentially if so desired. The Survey Committee is now doing field work. Definite plans for the mass meeting to urge the establishment of a free night college for women have been formulated. A committee of which Mrs. F. C. Hayes is Chairman has arranged with the People's Institution for this meeting at Cooper Union on Tuesday evening, April 10.

## Education Notes.

Military training has begun in seventeen high schools of the city. There are altogether about 2,500 students enrolled.

It is said that the Committee on Nominations of the Board of Education has decided to nominate Leo Arnstein for the recently vacated position of executive manager of the board.

The By-Laws Committee will make a report at today's meeting of the Board of Education with regard to the Finegan Education bill.

Amendments to the by-laws permitting District Superintendents to excuse a teacher's absence of less than half a day, due to transportation delays, and revising the salary schedules for substitute teachers in girls' vocational or trade schools will be considered by the Board of Education today.

American flags are displayed on public school buildings from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

The Board of Superintendents has recommended a new site and building for the school for the deaf.

There will be a mass meeting at P. S. 37, the Bronx, at 3:30 P. M. today to discuss the Lockwood-Ellenbogen and the Fertig pension bills. Teachers of the Twenty-third and twenty-fourth School Districts are urged to attend.

The additional Teachers' Association has presented a petition to the Board of Education asking that the salaries of additional teachers be fixed at a minimum of $720 a year, that the maximum amount be $1,500 a year and that permanent licenses be issued to those who have performed three years' successful service in the public schools.

## Estates Appraised.

BAYLIS, MARY, (June 27, 1916.) Total assets, $665,140. William Baylis, brother, received $266,688; Florence B. Morris, niece, $121,247; Abraham B. Baylis, nephew, $116,568; Armida Carlson, not related, $10,000; Orphan Asylum Society, Brooklyn; Graham Home for Old Ladies, $5,000 each; Emma B. Lewis, Emma V. Pond, Anita V. D. Parker, Jacob Allen, M. D.; Margaret Peleubet, and George White, none of them related to decedent, each received $5,000. There were seventeen bequests of $2,500 each to friends and to institutions. Assets: Parcel of realty at Quogue, L. I., $4,500; bank, $103,291; furniture and silverware, $2,214; furs, $3,225; jewelry, $46,615; rugs, $8,420, and stocks and bonds, $491,312. The most valuable item of jewelry was a pearl necklace appraised at $15,000; a three-stone ring, emerald and two diamonds, is appraised at $3,000; a ring, ruby and two diamonds, $2,500, and a pair of pearl earrings at $6,000.

GUNNISON, Mrs. ADELAIDE HYDE, (June 29, 1916.) Total assets, $25,201. Margaret Whipple Gunnison, daughter, was the beneficiary. Assets: Equity, $3,397, in 537 West 141st St., appraised at $8,500; bank, $5,318; mortgages and personalty, $14,417, and stocks, $2,067.

MACLAY, Mrs. MARIA JOSEPHINE, (Jan. 3, 1916.) Total assets, $204,122. Mark W. Maclay, husband, received a life estate in $108,496; Antoinette W. Johnson, daughter, received $1,401. Assets: 13 West 31st St., appraised at $76,500; bank, $5,637; jewelry and personalty, $5,700, and stocks and bonds, $116,224.

## BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

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RARE OPPORTUNITY.
Sohmer upright piano, used only six months, at a great sacrifice. Inquire in gown shop, 789 6th Av., 44th and 45th Sts.

Men's Credit Tailor.—Suits, raincoats, &c., $12; $1 down, $1 weekly. Hamilton-Martin Co., 171 Broadway, (enter, 5 Cortlandt St.)

# JERSEY METHODISTS MAKE ASSIGNMENTS

### Appointment of Ministers Announced at Close of Conference at Atlantic City.

### SUNDAY MOVIES OPPOSED

### Pennington Seminary Gets $35,000 of $50,000 Desired to Raise Debt of Institution.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 13.—The appointments of the New Jersey Methodist Conference were given out just before the close of the conference today, as well as the names of those selected as members of the quartrly conference from the various districts. The appointments include the following:

Bridgeton District, G. H. Neal, Superintendent; Alloway, G. W. Hanners; Asbury, to be supplied; Aura and Richwood, to be supplied; Bridgeton, Central, S. G. Pitt; First Church, F. L. Jowett; Fourth Church, Herschell Lee; Trinity, E. A. Miller, Jr.; Wesley Memorial, G. W. Abel; Canton, to be supplied; Cape May City, B. P. Judd; Cape May Court House, E. H. Cloud; Cedarville, L. S. Moore; Centerton, to be supplied; Clayton, C. B. Fisher; Deerfield and Aldine, to be supplied; Dividing Creek, to be supplied; Eldora Circuit, to be supplied; Elmer, Samuel Sargent; Ewan, to be supplied; Fairton, C. R. Smith; Friendship Circuit, to be supplied; Glassboro, C. R. Van Hook; Goshen and Dias Creek, J. O. R. Corliss; Green Creek and Burleigh, to be supplied; Haleyville Circuit, to be supplied; Hancock's Bridge, to be supplied; Harrisonville and Ferrell, to be supplied; Heisherville, to be supplied; Holleywood and Anglesea, J. G. Edwards; Leesburg and Dorchester, J. A. Naylor; Malaga Circuit, A. E. Morris; Mouricetown, to be supplied; Millville, First Church, E. A. Robinson; Fourth Church, to be supplied; Second Church, A. C. Oliver, Jr.; Trinity, H. L. Burkett; West Side, Christian Ernst; Minotola, to be supplied; Monroeville and Friendship, S. H. Magee; Mullica Hill, H. G. Heineman; Newfield, to be supplied; Newport, O. C. Apgar; Ocean City, J. B. Kulp; Peermont, to be supplied; Pennsville, R. N. Aspinwall, Jr.; Pitman Grove, J. L. Howard; Port Elizabeth, to be supplied; Port Norris, C. D. Whitton; Quinton, to be supplied; Salem, Broadway, John Handley; First Church, W. A. Boyd; Sea Isle City, A. C. Brady; Seaville Circuit, William Moore; Sharptown, to be supplied; South Seaville, to be supplied; South Vineland, to be supplied; Tabernacle, H. E. Garrison; Tuckahoe, J. R. Reeves; Vineland, T. S. Brock; Woodruff and Rosenhayne, to be supplied; Woodstown, G. W. Yard.

Camden District, F. A. De Maris, Superintendent.—Absecon, C. M. Johnston; Atco and Chiselhurst, to be supplied; Atlantic City—Central, H. J. Belting; Chelsea, to be supplied; First, G. T. Harris; St. Paul's, A. H. Lucas; Auburn and Centre Square, W. R. Blackman; Audubon, C. S. Miller; Bargaintown, to be supplied; Berlin and West Berlin, A. C. Polhemus; Blackwood, E. R. Brunyate; Bridgeport, J. B. Adams; Brigantine Beach to be supplied; Camden—Asbury, J. R. Read; Bethany, F. E. Purcel; Bethel, J. S. Garrison; Broadway, Alexander Corson; Centenary, J. B. Haine; Eighth Street, Henry Bradway; Fairview, Walter H. Ellis; First, H. F. Gravatt; Kaign Avenue, W. T. Valliant; Park Side, E. W. Graham; St. George, W. A. Cobb; State Street, C. S. Johnson; Tabernacle, J. R. Mason; Trinity, Franklin Haley; Union, C. I. Fitzgeorge; Wesley, to be supplied; Wiley, O. A. Lee; Chews and Almonesson, W. W. Westcott; Clarksboro, to be supplied; Collingswood, Alfred Wagg; Cross Keys, to be supplied; Downer, to be supplied; Elwood Circuit, C. L. Ebel; English Creek and Repaupo, to be supplied; Gloucester City—First Church, J. W. Nickolson; Second Church, to be supplied; Haddon Heights, W. R. Raver; Haddonfield, Alfonso Dare; Hammontown, D. E. Van Dwight; Hedding and Northmont, Jesse Dorman; Hurffville, W. H. Luther; Jeffersonville and Bernesville, to be supplied; Linwood, J. C. Kulp; Magnolia, to be supplied; Mantua, A. B. Ward; Margate City, to be supplied; Mays Landing, W. F. Ludlow; McGee City, to be supplied; National Park, to be supplied; New Sharon and Chapel Heights, to be supplied; Paulsboro, Stedman Applegate; Pedricktown, Daniel Johnson; Penns Grove—Emanuel, W. F. Atkinson; St. Paul, J. W. Lynch; Pleasantville—Bethany, to be supplied; Salem, L. F. Bausman; Wesley, J. W. Lee; Port Republic and Smithville, J. W. Veal; Sicklerville and Tansboro, to be supplied; Stratford, W. L. Shaw; Swedesboro, J. L. Curlees; Thoroughfare, E. C. Hulse; Turnerville, to be supplied; Victoria, to be supplied; Wenonah, E. M. Conover; West Collingswood, William Grum; Westmont, C. J. Champion.

Williamstown, Pennington Corson; Winslow Circuit, to be supplied; Woodbury, H. J. Selley; Woodlynne, H. P. Grim.

New Brunswick District, J. W. Marshall, Superintendent.—Adelphia, C. A. Quigley; Asbury Park, Ballard Memorial, John Gorley; First Church, L. K. Willman; Atlantic Highlands, N. V. Sargent; Belford, Elijah Reed; Belmar, W. E. Ledden; Bradley Beach, Richard Conover; Cliffwood, O. C. Bowne; Cranbury, to be supplied; Eatontown and Tinton Falls, to be supplied; Englishtown, C. S. Lawrence; Farmingdale, D. Roe Haney; Freehold, R. S. Carlisle; Greenville Circuit, to be supplied; Hamilton and Avondale Terrace, to be supplied.

Harmony, to be supplied; Highland, H. M. Smith; Hightstown, Lawrnce Carroll; Imlaystown, to be supplied; Island Heights, J. H. Cann; Jamesburg, Henry Johnson; Keansburg, J. W. Rose; Keyport—Calvary, William Adams; St. John's, A. L. Iszard; Lakehurst and Ridgway, W. F. Burch; Lakewood, William Mitchell; Little Silver, D. Y. Stephens; Long Branch—Asbury, L. L. Hand; First, J. B. Whitton; St. Luke's, F. V. Harris; Simpson, J. B. F. Rhodes; Manasquan, G. T. Hillman; Matawan, John Allen; Milltown, R. B. Stephenson; Morganville, to be supplied; Navesink, to be supplied; New Brunswick—First, H. M. Lawrence; Pittman, Leon Chamberlain; St. James's, J. H. Hunt; New Egypt, C. K. Dilks; Oakhurst and Wayside, A. H. Eberhardt; Ocean Grove, J. D. Dills; Oceanic, to be supplied; Ocean Port, to be supplied; Oldbridge and Spotswood, W. D. Bruerre; Point Pleasant and Bayhead, E. R. Craig; Red Bank—First, H. P. Sloan; Grace, H. J. Root; Sayreville, B. C. Lippincott; Seabright, B. H. Decker; Silverton, S. H. Evaul; Smithtown circuit, to be supplied; South Amboy, J. E. Shaw; South River, H. T. Fisler; Spring Lake, James Lord, Jr.; Toms River, W. J. Sayre; Wall, C. N. Hogate; West Farm circuit, to be supplied; West Grove, Edward Mount; Whitesville, to be supplied.

Trenton District—M. E. Snyder, Superintendent. Allentown, B. H. White; Asbury and Mapleshade, to be supplied; Barnegat, T. H. Hicks; Bayville and Ocean Gate, to be supplied; Beach Haven, J. J. B. Hill; Beverly, F. M. Morley; Bordentown, James Burns; Bridgeboro, J. W. Morris; Browns Mills, to be supplied; Burlington, Broad Street, T. G. J. Wright; Union, James Eckersley; Chatsworth, to be supplied; Columbus, H. S. Gascoyne; Crosswicks and Ellisdale, to be supplied; Belaire, to be supplied; Delanco, J. G. Gamble; Friellsboro and Georgetown, to be supplied; Florence, W. E. Zimmerman; Forked River and Tancka, to be supplied; Groveville, G. S. C. Fees; Hamilton Square, W. W. Payne; Hopewell, to be supplied; Jacobstown and Cookstown, to be supplied; Kingstown, Thomas Ogle; Lambertville, E. A. Wells; Linvale and Amwell, to be supplied; Lower Bank, to be supplied; Lamberton and Smithville, B. J. K. Way; Manahawkin and Cedar Run, P. W. Hilderback; Marlton and Creson, to be supplied; Medford, K. T. Richardson; Merchantville, F. D. Lawrence; Mount Holly, T. S. Hammond.

New Gretna, to be supplied; New Lisbon Circuit, to be supplied; Palmyra, S. M. Van Sant; Pearsonville, H. H. Neale; Pemberton, A. B. Carlin; Pennington, J. J. Mesler; Pensauken, C. G. Rock; Pointville and Wrightstown, to be supplied; Princeton, W. E. Lake; Rancocas, to be supplied; Riverside, J. W. Simpson; Roebling, to be supplied; Tabernacle and Indian Mills, to be supplied; Titusville, to be supplied; Trenton, Broad, B. C. Cobb; Broad Street Park, J. W. Wainwright; Cadwalder Heights, N. J. Wright; Central, O. W. Clair; Chambers Street, to be supplied; Clinton Street, to be supplied; First, E. E. Hann, (transferred from Cookman Church, Philadelphia;) Greenwood Avenue, F. C. Uhl; Hamilton Avenue, U. G. Hagaman; St. Paul's, J. F. Sechrist; State Street, H. D. Ketcham; Trinity, C. H. Elder; Wesley, C. B. Roach; Tuckerton, William Disbrow; Vincetown and Buddtown, J. D. Shaw, Waretown Circuit, to be supplied; West Creek, to be supplied; Windsor, to be supplied.

Other appointments follow:

S. W. Lake, President, and J. F. Lake, Superintendent, Ocean City Tabernacle, association member of Ocean City Quarterly Conference; S. H. Hann, Corresponding Secretary Preachers' Aid Society and Centenary Fund, member of Tuckerhoe Quarterly Conference; W. A. Hunsberger, national speaker for World Alliance of the Churches in International Friendship, member of First Church, Camden, Quarterly Conference; Frank Moore, Superintendent of State Reformatory, Rahway, member of Little Silver Quarterly Conference; G. W. Ridout, Financial Secretary Taylor University, member of Delanco Quarterly Conference; Marshal Oceans, Field Secretary of Conference Aid Society, member Centenary Camden Quarterly Conference; R. L. Lewis, Assistant Chaplain U. S. N., member of Vineland Quarterly Conference; Thomas Huss, temperance and publication agent.

Reports submitted to the conference showed that Pennington Seminary would be free from debt in a few months. Contributions of $35,000 obtained in a campaign to raise $50,000 had been received up to today. The Preachers' Aid Society reported a surplus of $80,367.

The conference went on record as opposed to legislation empowering Justices of the Peace to perform marriage ceremonies, and against the repeal of the law which gives County Judges authority to pass upon applications for saloon licenses. It is also opposed to allowing moving picture houses to remain open on Sundays.

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LOST—Saturday, forenoon, between Brooklyn Bridge via Broadway to 17 Battery Place, one lady's wrist watch, gold, Hampton movement; reward. Return to Mr. P. I. Johnston, 400 West 160th St. Audubon 9150.

LOST.—Diamond platinum bar pin, Saturday, Broadway car to Strand Theatre, thence to Lord & Taylor's; liberal reward. Apartment 20, 229 West 101st St. Telephone 1416 Riverside.

LOST—Platinum bar pin with six pearls, Saturday night, from Astor Hotel, 5th or 6th Av. to 59th St., 6th Av. L to 7th Av., 125th St.; reward. Apartment 36, 375 West 159th, Telephone Audubon 741.

LOST.—A lady's jeweled vanity case, with monogram, two Ls in onyx and diamonds, in or about the Metropolitan Opera House; no questions asked; reward, $50. Cartier, 712 5th Av.

LOST.—Gold bracelet watch, initials M. S. H., on Fifth Avenue, or in Central Park, near Ramble; reward. Return to Hollister, 116 East 63d.

LOST.—Saturday afternoon, diamond ornament, with chain, Broadway, Broadway car, or 94th St.; reward. Apartment 5CC, 500 West 109th St. Academy 1095.

LOST—Diamond and platinum bar pin, 113th-105th Sts., Broadway and Manhattan Av., Monday afternoon; reward. C. F. Wright, Telephone 5322 John.

LOST—Reward for return of Sigma Xi watch key; name on back, H. C. Jackson. 338 East 26th St., Manhattan.

LOST—Black silk bag, Tuesday, 13th, crosstown car, between Lexington-Madison Avs.; reward. Kindly return 146 East 39th.

LOST.—Small blue enameled watch and link chain, Monday morning; liberal reward. Simpson, 12 West 37th St.

LOST—Raccoon muff in taxicab, Grand Central Station to 10th St., evening March 12; reward. 49 East 10th St.

LOST—Silver mesh bag on 59th St.; valuable as keepsake; reward. 129 West 120th St.

$50 REWARD
for brooch, diamond flower, lost Thursday evening on 5th Av., between 70th and 65tn Sts. Return to Black, Starr & Frost, 48th St. and 5th Av.

REWARD.—Monday afternoon, between Sherman Square Hotel and Holland House, via 5th Av. bus, diamond pendant with pearl drop. Return Sherman Square Hotel.

REWARD.—Monday, diamond and sapphire bar pin, 90th to 30th. 272 West 90th, Apartment 1-E.

STOLEN—At Westbury, L. I., on last Sunday morning, Ford sedan, new chassis, engine No. 1604587, wire wheels; liberal reward for return. Brown & Falkinburg, 10 Wall St., New York City.

## DOBBS FERRY HOME BURNED

### Fire on Lander Place Supposed to Have Been Incendiary.

A fire which is considered to have been incendiary destroyed the beautiful house of Stephen C. Lander, manufacturer of fertilizer, at Dobbs Ferry, yesterday. Mr. Lander, his wife and three children and his father-in-law, Joseph Losee, were roused by George Jackson, a watchman, who carried two of the Lander children to safety. All had a narrow escape, as a strong gale fanned the blaze.

Many horses were burned to death in the stable, including Luther T., a racer which held the trotting record of the Westchester Driving Association.

Fire companies from Elmsford, White Plains, and Ardsley were summoned. The damage is estimated at $40,000.

## ATTACH GOMEZ'S PROPERTY

### Cuban Rebel Leaders May Face $6,000,000 Damage Claim.

HAVANA, March 13.—The authorities have issued an attachment against the José Miguel Gomez estate, America, near Havana; half of a fine building located at Prado and Trocadero Streets, Havana, in addition to 55,000 sacks of sugar manufactured at Ciego de Avila, which are valued at $500,000, and an $80,000 mortgage he holds against a local sugar-refining company, amounting in all to well over $1,000,000. According to Cuban law, a man convicted of crime, civil or criminal, may also be adjudged liable for damages and his property attached to make good the amount.

Gomez is in the Presidio, facing charges of sedition and rebellion in connection with the present trouble in Cuba, the damages resulting therefrom having been so far appraised at $6,000,000.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, March 13.—Additional evidence tending to show that the Liberals have virtually decided to substitute fire and pillage for an organized campaign with arms is contained in a report of a meeting held at Songo, the headquarters of Major Rigoberto Fernandez, a rebel leader. He urged the sending of bands bearing torches into every cane-growing district.

## WOULD EXTRADITE FERRARA.

### Cuban Government Officials Confer on the Matter.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

HAVANA, March 13.—Dr. Cristobal Bidegaray, consulting attorney of the State Department, and Ibrahim Cossio, prosecuting attorney, conferred today with the special judge in charge of the conspiracy cases regarding plans for the extradition of Drs. Ferrara and Cabrera, who have been conducting a revolutionary press bureau in New York.

An attempt will be made to extradite also Pelayo Garcia, a partner of Ferrara.

### Says Gomez Planned Assassination.

Eduardo L. Desvernine, Cuban Consul in Baltimore and a cousin of Pablo Desvernine, the Cuban Secretary of State, who arrived yesterday from Havana on the United Fruit steamship Metapan, said the Cuban revolt, as instigated by General Gomez, included plans to assassinate President Menocal and also Dr. Alfredo Zayas, the Liberal candidate for President. Rafael Matacena, an insurgent, who arrived on the Ward Line steamship Havana, said the revolt was by no means over, in spite of the fact that General Gomez had been captured.

### Strike Oil Near Havana.

HAVANA, March 13.—An oil well flowing at the rate of 2,400 barrels a day was brought in today near Las Minas, twelve miles from Havana. Oil has not been found in such quantities in Cuba before.

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## FEDERAL BOARD BARS HARD COAL ADVANCE

### Finds No Justification for Omitting Usual Spring Discount to Dealers.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The Federal Trade Commission today issued a statement, addressed to twenty-five of the largest anthracite coal producing companies, in which it asserts that there is no justification for an increase in the price of hard coal. The statement reads:

"It is rumored in the anthracite trade that the producing companies are intending either to withdraw or reduce the Spring discounts this year, thus increasing the prices charged for anthracite coal. None of the large railroad coal companies has as yet announced its policy. The selling agent of one of the more prominent of the independent operators, however, has made the following announcement to the trade:

"'Owing to a number of circumstances which have increased the cost of mining coal, we do not intend to make the usual Spring reduction on anthracite.'

"In its inquiry into the cost of mining anthracite, the report on which will be issued in the near future, the Federal Trade Commission has obtained detailed information on the cost of companies which mined in 1916 about 75 per cent. of the total production of anthracite. This information, obtained directly from the records of the companies referred to, indicates no increase in average cost in the last four months of 1916, and further indicates an actual decrease of cost in the case of some of the companies whose costs of production are high. Judging from the tonnage produced in January, 1917, there is no reason to believe that costs thus far in 1917 would materially change the average shown by the figures compiled for September to December, 1916.

"Therefore it is the opinion of the commission that further increase in circular prices this Spring by failure to grant the customary discounts could not be justified on the basis of increased cost. The commission makes this statement in advance of its forthcoming report, because it is a matter of vital interest to the public that no unjustifiable increase of price should be made.

"This statement does not refer to the increases in circular prices of all anthracite in May, 1916, nor to the panic prices which have prevailed on part of the tonnage this Fall and Winter, concerning which the commission will make a report in the near future. The cost data already compiled by the commission, however, are conclusive against further price increases this Spring."

## 10 TO 20 YEARS FOR HERLIHY

### Subway Bomb Plotter Sentenced on His Expected Wedding Day.

Michael J. Herlihy, Financial Secretary of the subway employes local, Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Employes of America, who was convicted last week of having put a dynamite bomb in the subway near the station at Lenox Avenue and 110th Street, Oct. 25, 1916, was sentenced yesterday by Justice Tompkins in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court to a term of from ten to twenty years and two months in Sing Sing.

In passing sentence Justice Tompkins said the crime was particularly heinous because Herlihy knew that many thousands of people constantly used the subways.

Herlihy, it was said, expected to be married yesterday. He was the first of seven members of the union, indicted in the same connection, to stand trial. The others will be placed on trial immediately.

## FREE UMBRELLAS FOR GIRLS

### Also Hot Coffee and Free Rubbers at Russell Card Co.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW BRUNSWICK, March 13.—Free rubbers and umbrellas have solved the labor problem of the Russell Playing Card Company, near Milltown, which employs a large number of girls living in this city.

The company has laid in a stock of rubber overshoes and umbrellas and has announced that their girl employes can borrow these, free of charge, any time they wish. The company will furnish hot coffee free at noon.

### College Rookies Hear About War.

Five hundred students of the City College of New York, who have formed a military battalion representing that institution, will march in a body this afternoon to the Hamilton Theatre, 146th Street and Broadway, to hear Mrs. Margaret M. Crumpacker lecture on the European war and what it should teach this country about preparedness. The battalion is under the direction of Professor Herbert Halton, who has just returned from the Mexican border, where he did duty with the National Guard.

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## WEDS STRANGER TO GET HUGE FORTUNE IN INDIA

### Philippa Hartley of New York Marries Chicago Man in Strange Circumstances.

CHICAGO, March 13.—According to a story told tonight by Dr. Gilbert H. Willis of Bombay, India, Miss Philippa Hartley of New York was married today to John Colfax, a Chicagoan, whom she never before had met, in order to insure title to the estate of Carleston Hannan of Bombay, who is said to be worth several million dollars. Dr. Willis said he induced Colfax to wed Miss Hartley and accept a specified amount with the understanding that he would never again see his wife.

A marriage license issued to the couple today gave the bride's age as 25 and the bridegroom's as 23. Dr. Willis said the marriage ceremony was performed by a minister whose name he refused to divulge. He also refused to give the address of the bridegroom.

Dr. Willis said that Hannan had requested that his niece, Miss Hartley, marry before his death or within three months thereafter, in order to satisfy a trust agreement, which he drew up in order to make sure that the bulk of his estate should go to Miss Hartley without danger of a legal contest by other relatives. A trust agreement, in accordance with this arrangement, was filed for record in Chicago today.

Mrs. Colfax returned to New York a few hours after Dr. Willis said the ceremony had been performed.

The name of Philippa Hartley does not appear in the telephone book nor the city directory.

## ATTACKS BURNS AGENCY.

### Labor Official Asks Cancellation of Detectives' License.

An application to have the license of the William J. Burns Detective Agency rescinded was made yesterday to State Treasurer Eugene M. Travis by E. W. Edwards, Secretary of the Allied Trades Council. It was stated that information could be supplied which would show illegal acts in connection with the tapping of telephone wires. Meyer Steinbunk of 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn, has been retained as counsel for the complainants.

The action against the agency is founded on the charges of conspiracy, perjury, and libel, brought by Mayor Mitchel last Summer against Mgr. John J. Dunn and others, who accused the Mayor of being mixed up in wire tapping cases. The case was dismissed by Justice Greenbaum in the Supreme Court.

## KILLS WOMAN AND HIMSELF.

### Steelman, a Private Detective, Was Infatuated with Mrs. McCoy.

Charles Steelman, a private detective, of 2,322 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, went to the home of Joseph Steelman, 1,424 Bayard Avenue, Camden, N. J., last night, shot and killed Mrs. Anna McCoy, a widow to whom he had been attentive; wounded Mrs. Steelman, and, turning the revolver on himself, committed suicide.

It was said yesterday at the Steelman home that Mrs. McCoy had refused to see Steelman, and that he had become frenzied because of her rebuffs. Miss Gertrude Steelman, a daughter of Joseph Steelman, who was no relative of the murderer, said she had heard some of the threats made during quarrels between the couple. She was held as a material witness.

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## $6,324.10 FOR YOUNG BOOKS

### Sale of Part IV. Concluded—Grand Total Thus Far $29,658.80.

The sale of Part IV. of the library of inscribed books formed by James Carleton Young of Minneapolis, Minn., was concluded at the Anderson Galleries yesterday. The total for this part of the library is $6,324.10. The grand total thus far is $29,658.80. Among the items at yesterday's session were the following, with catalogue numbers, the prices paid, and the names of the successful bidders:

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| No. 596—"Arethuse," by Henry De Regnier, first edition, with an original signed poem of twelve lines inserted; James F. Drake | $25.10 |
| No. 628—"Oliver Cromwell," by Theodore Roosevelt, first edition, with inscriptions by the author, dated Sept. 27, 1901; G. A. Baker Company | 20.00 |
| No. 638—"The Sonnets of Shakespeare," printed at the Roycroft Press, with autograph of Elbert Hubbard; Frederick W. Morris | 20.00 |
| No. 686—"New Poems," by Francis Thompson, signed by the author with verse in his autograph; G. A. Baker Company | 48.00 |
| No. 728—"Sagesse," by Paul Verlaine, first edition, inscribed by the author; James F. Drake | 40.00 |
| No. 734—"Dedicaces," by Paul Verlaine, with the original signed manuscript of the fifty-third poem to "A. E." inserted; James F. Drake | 42.50 |

## BILLY SUNDAY MEETINGS.

### One for Men on Sunday—Another for Singers Monday Evening.

A mass meeting for men will be held at the Union Methodist Church, Forty-eighth Street, near Broadway, next Sunday afternoon by the William A. Sunday Evangelistic Committee, which is preparing for the revival to begin here April 8. William Jay Schieffelin will preside and Al Saunders of Scranton and A. B. MacDonald of Kansas City, prominent among the trail hitters of previous Sunday campaigns, will speak. On Monday evening the 3,200 singers who have enrolled for the tabernacle choruses will meet for organization at the Grace Methodist Church on West 104th Street. E. M. Willis, Chairman of the Music Committee, will preside over the meeting, and there will be speeches by Saunders and others.

The tabernacle which is building at 168th Street and Broadway for the evangelist's meetings has been practically completed. It will be dedicated on Palm Sunday afternoon, April 1. Meanwhile, the Finance Committee, which is arranging for the running expenses of the revival, is trying to raise $75,000, half of the estimated expenses, before the revival begins. Less than $40,000 has been subscribed so far. It is hoped to raise the second $75,000 by collections during the campaign.

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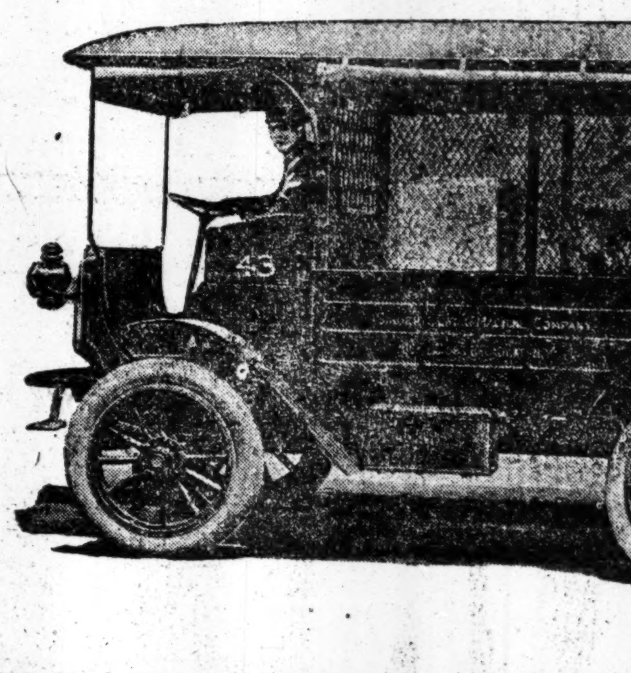

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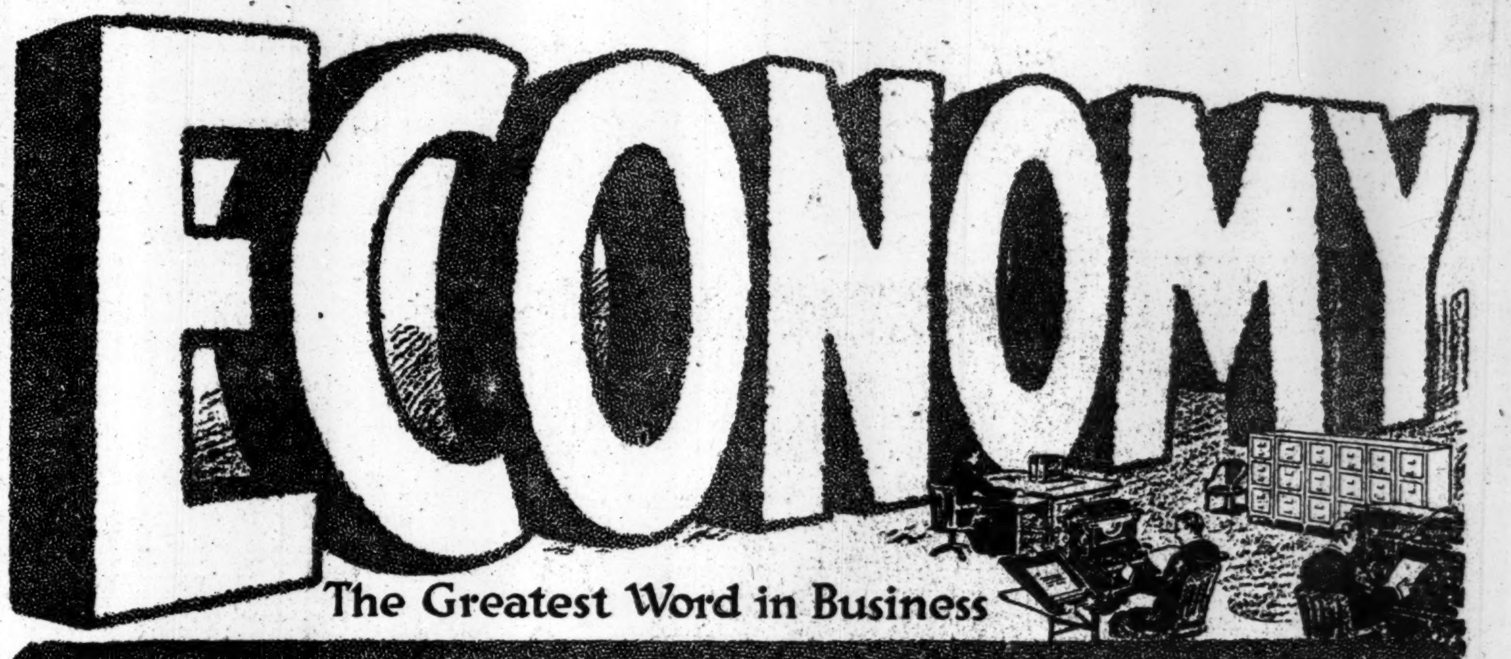

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